THE WEATHER.

Fair in interior, unsettled on the coast Sunday, Monday fair moderate northeast winds.

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MILITANT WOMEN AFTER SUFFRAGE

Parade of Two Thousand on Fifth Avenue Created Scene Yesterday.

MANY VETERANS TO THE CAUSE

Organized Protest Against Denial of Their Sex to the Ballot—Number of Male Supporters in the Parade.

New York, May 6.—Gray haired woman suffrage pioneers, styled "the girls of '61", dimpled, laughing girl babies of 1910, not yet out of their first long dresses; girls and women of all ages, swept down Fifth avenue from 57th street to Union Square this afternoon in an organized protest against denial of their sex to the ballot. Every avenue through which woman has invaded man's field of endeavor was represented, from sculpture to cab driving. One hundred male supporters of the cause joined in the parade.

Four brass bands, dozens of elaborate floats and fluttering pennants by the hundreds, with here and there a banner bearing epigrams, lengthened the line of 2,000 marchers. The ranks were separated into seven divisions and more than half the marchers were laden with camp stools, besides the regulation insignia and banners which many carried.

These camp stools, an innovation in New York parades, had served as seats for the feminine army preceding the formation. Having answered their purpose they were folded up, tucked under arms and carried along.

Every one marched with the exception of the veterans and the babies. Mrs. Antoinette Brown Blackwell, nearly 90; Mrs. Anna Garlan Spencer, and Mrs. Phoebe A. Hansford, representing "the girls of '61" rode in open carriages. The youngest recruits were trundled in go-carts by their mothers. Out-of-town associations, in a separate division, consisted of delegations from Colorado, Wyoming, Massachusetts, New Jersey and Connecticut.

METHODISTS MEET TODAY.

Three Branches of Church to be Represented at Chattanooga.

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 6.—Beginning tomorrow and continuing to May 12th, the joint commission representing three branches of Methodism will meet here to consider important questions.

Under different names there are 19 separate denominations of Methodists in America, and the total membership is nearly 7,000,000. The 27 commissioners who will meet here next week, represent about 6,000,000 Methodists.

They were appointed by the Methodist Protestant Church, the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and the M. E. Church to consider the question of unification through re-organization. Nine commissioners as follows, have been appointed by each of the three churches:

Methodist Protestant Church: President T. M. Leads, D. D., Westminster, Md.; the Rev. M. L. Jennings, D. D., Pittsburg, Pa.; Rev. D. G. Helmick, D. D., Weston, W. Va.; Rev. C. D. Sinkinson, D. D., Atlantic City, N. J.; S. R. Harris, Henderson, N. C.; W. N. Swift, Adrian, Mich.; J. J. Barge, Atlanta, Ga.; J. E. Peterson, New London, Ia.; Rev. Geo. Schaffer, D. D., Pittsburg, Pa.

Methodist Episcopal Church, South: Bishop A. W. Wilson, Baltimore; Bishop E. E. Hoss, Nashville, Tenn.; Bishop Collins Denny, Nashville, Tenn.; Rev. W. J. Young, D. D., Danville, Va.; Rev. F. M. Thomas, D. D., Louisville, Ky.; Rev. C. M. Bishop, D. D., Wichita, Falls, Tex.; Judge M. L. Walton, Woodstock, Va.; President R. S. Hyer, LL. D., Dallas, Tex.; W. B. Stubbs, Savannah, Ga.

Methodist Church—Bishop Early Cranston, Washington, D. C.; Bishop J. M. Walden, Cincinnati; Bishop L. B Wilson, Philadelphia; Rev. J. F. Goucher, D. D., Baltimore; Rev. G. A. Reeder, D. D., Berea, Ohio; Rev. W. W. Evans, D. D., Harrisburg, Pa.; R. T. Miller, LL. D., Cincinnati; Hanford Crawford, St. Louis; J. A. Patten, Chattanooga, Tenn.

QUICK WITH RECALL.

Charlotte Hears Disquieting Rumor From the Gate City.

Charlotte, N. C., May 6.—According to dispatches received here this morning, a rather complex situation faces the citizens of Greensboro, who put into effect last Wednesday the commission form of government with the recall feature attached.

Under the charter creating the commission, it is stipulated that the commission, composed of three men may not hold an executive session for the purpose of electing any officers under the administration or providing for any expenditure of the city funds.

It is claimed by some that the commission violated the charter at the meeting on Wednesday when an executive session was held and a chief of police and other officers were elected for a term of two years.

A petition is now being circulated which, when signed by 25 per cent of the voters, will provide for another election, which, it is proposed to hold during the coming week.

FREE LIST DEBATE IS FINALLY ENDED

Important Democratic Measure Will be Voted Upon in House Tomorrow.

CANNON MAKES PARTING SHOT

Congressman Faison, of North Carolina, Among Those Who Favored Measure—Former Speaker Is Sarcastic.

Washington, May 6.—A handful of faithful members of the House witnessed the termnation late this afternoon of a memorable debate on the tariff free list bill, which probably will be voted upon Monday. The debate was noteworthy because of the number of speechs, and on account of the scant membership of the House that followed them. From the opening of the general discussion of the bill there was no restriction on the speaking of the measure. Few of the speeches, however, received much attention.

Former Speaker Cannon had a good audience today when he spoke against the bill. The seats were deserted during the remainder of the day, however. The close of today's session ended general discussion of the bill. Monday the measure, which is the first of the Democratic tariff bills, tao come before Congress, will be subjected to attempts at amendment; but the Democratic leaders hope to secure a final vote on its passage before adjournment that day.

Representatives Dent, of Alabama, and Faison, of North Carolina, were among those who today spoke in favor of the measure.

In his attack on reciprocity, Mr. Cannon said:

"I believe this secret agreement never would have been made it it had not been demanded by the great publishing interests of th ecountry."

President Taft's speech at the Publishers' banquet in New York, he said was a "fine piece of humor; better than anything of Clemens." In it the President urged the publishers to be consistent in favoring the passage of the reciprocity bill without amendment."

The former Speaker also referred to the Associated Press saying it was made up of the publishers and that in turn the publishers made up the Associated Press. He declared it was a great organization and that he "wouldn't kill it if he could."

"I lost my temper over the reciprocity pact," said Mr. Cannon. "I felt that those who represented two-thirds of the people were willing to sacrifice the others to answer the hysterical cry raised by the demagogues, the Democrats and the newspapers."

He predicted that the Democrats would be overthrown in the next election.

FIRE IN LUMBERTON.

Five Small Dwellings Burned—Child Lost Life—Stables Sold.

(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Lumberton, N. C., May 6.—Fire this afternoon about 5 o'clock destroyed five dwelling houses on the west side of the river, all of which were occupied by colored people, some of whom saved a part of their household effects. In the excitement a little colored child, just beginning to crawl, was overlooked by its mother and was forgotten until the house was in flames and too late to rescue it. After the fire, the child was found under the cookstove burned to a crisp. The fire was beyond the water limits and only a lull of the wind prevailing at the time saved several other buildings, among them a colored church. No estimate of the losses has been obtained.

Mr. E. D. McNeill, who for many years has conducted a livery stable on Fourth street, this afternoon sold out the business to Mr. J. E. Britt, who at once took charge and will conduct the business at the old stand. Mr. McNeill retires from business on account of poor health.

CAROLINA LOSES LAST.

Dropped to Washington & Lee Yesterday Afternoon—Hasty Elected.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., May 6.—Carolina lost her last game of the season today, Washington & Lee turning the tables of yesterday and winning four to three. Carolina scored all three in the fourth on errors by the visitors and bunched hits. The Virginians scored two in the fifth by Carolina's lose playing and two more in the sixth on errors and two hits. Duls was hit hard at times but kept his hits well scattered and would have won, had he received the proper support of his team mates. Score:

W. & L.	000	022	000	4	11	3
Carolina	000	300	000	3	6	4

Gwathmey and Donahue, Duls and Witherington.

"Bull" Hasty was unanimously elected captain for next year's varsity nine after this afternoon's game.

NEW CITY COUNCIL NOW TAKES CHARGE

Mayor Smith and Wilmington Commissioners Sworn in Yesterday at Noon.

THE INAUGURAL ADDRESSES

Administration Launched Under Most Favorable Auspices—Several Appointive Officers are Announced—Others Monday.

Wilmington now has in practical operation the commission form of overnment, which has been so successful in many other cities, both North and South, and which promises equally as great results in this city, the Mayor and Council elected Monday having been duly inducted into office at noon yesterday, the oaths having been administered by Wm. L. Smith, Esq., brother of Mayor Joseph D. Smith, and having assumed immediately their duties by holding a lengthy session in the afternoon at which time departmental heads were announced and some of the offices for the ensuing term were chosen, the remainder of the number to be named at the first reular meeting of the Council Monday.

Councilmen are given assignments as heads of the different departments as follows:

Mayor Joseph D. Smith, Public Affairs.

Mr. Wm. E. Perdew, Water and Sewerage.

Mr. M. G. Tiencken, Accounts and Finance, and by virtue of his appointment as head of this department, Mayor Pro Tem.

Mr. B. C. Moore, Public Safety, which carries with it the police and fire departments.

Mr. P. Q. Moore, Streets, Wharves and Public Improvements.

The Councilmen met with the Mayor at the City Hall at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon for a conference for the purpose of agreeing upon the various appointive officers for the ensuing term. The conference lasted until 6 o'clock, when the first formal meeting of the Council was held Mayor Smith presiding and all members present; also in attendance was Mr. John J. Fowler, who has been City Clerk and Treasurer. At the conclusion of the meeting, which lasted less than a quarter of an hour, the election of the following were announced:

City Clerk and Treasurer—Capt. Thos. D. Meares.

City Tax Collector—Col. C. H. White.

Chief of Police—John J. Fowler.

Chief of Fire Department and Building Inspector—Chas. Schnibben.

Superintendent of Streets—Capt. R. Oscar Grant.

Library Trustees—Eugene S. Martin, S. M. Boatwright and Miss Margaret Gibson.

Civil Service Commission—C. F. W. Rehder, S. J. Ellis and Martin S. Willard.

Board of Elections—M. W. Jacobi and C. C. Covington.

It is understood that the Council practically decided upon the city attorney, but a formal election was deferred until the meeting tomorrow. An assistant chief of police or captain may be elected at the meeting tomorrow as well as the naming of some other officers.

The Councilmen adopted a resolution fixing the salary of each Councilman at $1,900 a year, the maximum amount allowed under the law.

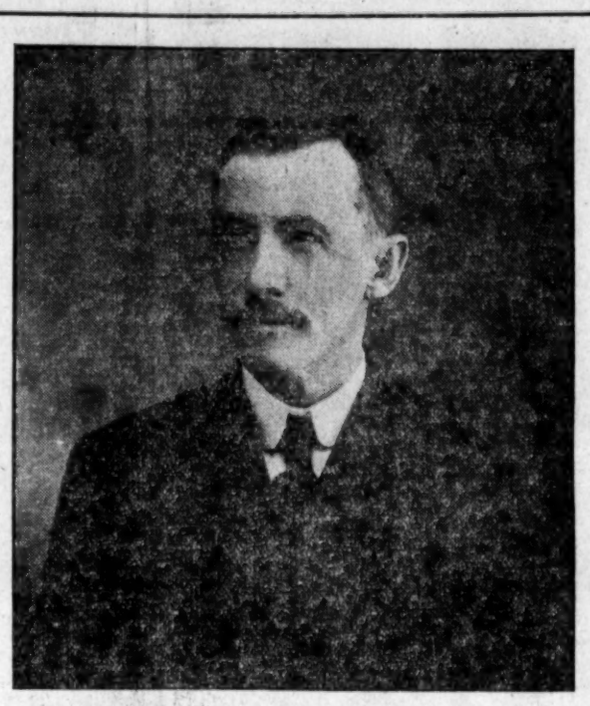
Inducted Into Office.

The oath of office was administered to Mayor Joseph D. Smith at 12:08 o'clock and immediately afterwards the same oath was taken by the Councilmen in concert. The Mayor's office was crowded with retiring city officials, interested spectators, representing practically every class of Wilmington's citizenship, to witness the rather impressive exercises and hear the inaugural remarks of the new officers. Among the number were several ladies, whose presence was duly noted by the Councilmen who made pleasing reference to their presence and called attention to the work of the women of North Carolina Sorosis for a cleaner, healthier and more beautiful Wilmington. The oath was the one prescribed under the general law applying to municipalities in the State where no provision is made in the charter for an oath of different phraseology. The large crowd was much interested in the remarks of the Councilmen, who were given the closest attention possible. It was a surprise to some to know that all the Councilmen are good speakers. The Councilmen declared themselves heartily in favor of the enforcement of the law; no particular law, but the enforcement of every law without fear or favor. The addresses were interesting and instructive.

The gathering was called to order by Hon. Walter G. MacRae, Esq., the retiring Mayor, who announced that he was ready to turn over to the Councilmen under the new form of overnment, the management of the affairs of the city, whereupon the oath was administered to the new Mayor and Councilmen. There was no for-

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MAYOR OF WILMINGTON



Hon. Jos. D. Smith, Who on Last Monday Was Elected Chief Executive of the City, and Yesterday Assumed the Reins of Government.

WATKINS GETS 18 MONTHS

Black Mountain Constable Escaped With Light Sentence for Killing Late J. H. Bunting—Appeal to Supreme Court.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., May 6.—F. C. Watkins, charged with killing John Hill Bunting at the Gladstone Hotel, Black Mountain, in August, 1909, and convicted of manslaughter here this week, was sentenced to 18 months in the State prison by Judge Webb today.

Watkins gave notice of an appeal and bond was fixed. Most of the morning was taken up by counsel for the defense on motion to set aside the verdict on the ground that a juror was prejudiced before taking his seat. Affidavits were presented after the trial stating he had expressed the opinion shortly after the shooting that Watkins was guilty and should be punished. Counter affidavits were also presented by the accused juror denying this. Judge Webb overruled the motion because counsel for the defense knew the accusations some time before the verdict was rendered but failed to bring it to the notice of the court until afterwards. Counsel for the defense claimed that Watkins should not be made to suffer on account of their shortcomings, but the judge saw it differently. Sentence was first placed at two years, but was immediately reduced to 18 months. The judge promised to reduce it to one year if the defendant would accept the sentence, but this was refused. Judge Jones, of counsel for the private prosecution, in arguing against the setting aside of the verdict, declared that the defense was in the position of "heads I win and tails you lose." Continuing, Judge Jones said that in poker parlance the defense held six cards while the State held five; that the defense, if it won, would bet "utter", but if it lost it had the opportunity to holler "misdeal." Judge Jones said that when information came to the attorneys for the defense that a prejudiced juror was in the box, it was the duty to inform the court and that since the defendant's counsel did not inform the court, they should, in effect, take their medicine.

OUTLINES.

The refusal of President Diaz to accede to the demand of Madero to relinquish the Presidency of Mexico, astounded the whole Republic yesterday. The situation continues serious and it is expected that fighting will be renewed.——The long debate in the House on the free list was concluded yesterday. Former Speaker Cannon made an attack on the measure and Congressman Faison, of North Carolina, was among the Democrats to uphold it.——Two thousand women suffragettes marched down Fifth Avenue in New York yesterday.——The joint commission representing three branches of Methodism will meet at Chattanooga, Tenn., today to consider important questions.——Sensational stories saying American troops would cross the Mexican border caused grave concern and prompt denials in administration circles yesterday.——New York markets: Money on call nominal, time loans dull. Spot cotton closed quiet, 5 points higher, middling uplands 15.50, middling gulf 15.75. Flour quiet. Wheat spot easy, No. 2 red 95 1-2 elevator and 96 7-8 f.o.b. afloat. Corn spot steady, export No. 2 new, 60 nominal f.o.b. afloat. Oats spot firm, standard white 40. Turpentine easy, machine barrels 68.

Baseball.

Gymnasium, golf and tennis shoes and oxfords at Peterson & Rulfs. **

KILLS HUSBAND TO SAVE SOUL

So Declares Young New York Woman in Confessing Murder—Tells of Crime Without Fear—An Erring Husband.

New York, May 6.—Frail, but cool, young Mrs. Patrick O'Shaughnessy told the coroner today, without a tremor of remorse or fear in her voice that she had killed her husband last night to save his soul. It was an astounding declaration, quite in the same key with her manner of yesterday when she went to a police station and informed the sergeant: "I've just shot and killed my husband."

She wants to be punished at once, before the birth of her child. It would have been easier to commit suicide, she explained, but in that case the husband she loved would have forsworn his religion for the woman who had supplanted her. Rather than see that, she killed him, and rather than add the crime of suicide to murder, she chose to give herself up and let the justice of man take its course.

"I hid the revolver in the folds of my dress," said the little woman, "and came upon George as he was hunting for letters I had found, letters that told me the other woman's name, the letters he had forgotten.

"He said it was true, but that he could not account for it. We talked of her. George loved me through it all, but when he was with her, he said, he forgot his country, his religion, his wife and his coming child. I fell on my knees and asked him if there was no chance for us to be happy together again. He pushed me off. Then I shot him. As he lay on the floor I stooped and kissed his lips. Then I gave myself up."

She was committed to the tombs without bail. Her husband was a store cashier, only 21 years old, and the girl whom he loved better than his wife and his God is but 18. She is heart-broken. O'Shaughnessy told her he was unmarried.

NEW CHARTERS ISSUED.

Several Important Enterprises for State Announced Yesterday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 6.—The North Carolina Orchards Co., Fayetteville, received a charter today with $350,000 capital authorized and $15,000 subscribed by W. E. Hansel, New York; J. S. Manning, R. O. Everitt, Durham; for fruit growing, farming, operating cotton gins and other purposes. Another charter is to the Evans Milling Co., High Point, capital $50,000 by L. P. Mathis, F. M. Pickett and others. Also the Virginia-Carolina Coal Co., Asheville, capital $50,000 authorized and $3,000 subscribed by W. J. Sproles, F. M. Messler and others.

The Citizen's Fire Insurance Co., of Charlestown, W. Va., is applying to the insurance commissioners for license to do business in this State.

C. B. Wade has been made permanent manager of the Western Union Telegraph office here. He has been in charge for three months, having relieved late Manager Bannister, who died a few days ago in Richmond, while on an indefinite leave of absence in the hope of regaining his health.

Richmond, Va., May 6.—Colonel A. S. Buford, member of the Richmond bar and one of the best known men in Virginia, died at his home here tonight, aged 85 years. He was at one time and for years president of the Richmond & Danville Railroad, the present line of the present Southern Railway, and as such was a leader in the rehabilitation of the South following the War Between the States.

TROOPS TO CROSS BORDER IS DENIED

Sensational Stories Created a Stir Among Officials in Washington.

SECRETARY KNOX TO RESIGN?

Tense Situation Reported to Exist in State Department—President Also Denies Reports of Intervention — Features.

Washington, May 6.—Stories printed today to the effect that General Leonard Wood, chief of staff of the army, at an informal gathering of members of the House Committee on Military Affairs on Thursday expressed the opinion that intervention in Mexico was inevitable and that it would take 20,000 American troops to patrol the troubled republic, brought no little chagrin to administration circles.

Official denials were put out from a number of sources and care was taken to express anew the administration's position that intervention is a most remote possibility. One of President Taft's callers today went so far as to quote the President as saying that "blood would have to be so deep in Mexico that a man could wade through it" before the American army would cross the border.

General Wood himself, and Secretary of War Dickinson, were particularly bitter in denouncing the circulation of stories of intervention at this time, declaring that they considered them calculated to work infinite mischief, to endanger the lives of Americans in Mexico by inflaming the natives to murderous assaults and even to plunge the two countries into war. "It is like poisoning a well," said General Wood. Secretary Dickinson was ever more emphatic.

Through all of the conflicting reports as to the American attitude today there stood out the fact that intervention in Mexico can come only through the action of Congress.

President Taft, conscious of the constitutional restrictions as to invading a foreign country and thereby committing an act of war, has time and again made the declaration that he would lay the whole matter before Congress if the time should ever come for intervention by this country and that the responsibility for action would be placed squarely upon the Congress.

Congress leaders, it is stated, are of the same opinion as the President as to intervention and matters in Mexico would have to reach an extremely desperate stage before American troops are ordered across the line. The fight is Mexico's and the United States proposes to keep hands off unless unwarranted outrages should be perpetrated against Americans and other foreign interests.

Today's happenings brought out fresh rumors that friction exists between the War and State Departments over the handling of affairs connected with the Mexican situation. It is said that Secretary Knox feels he has not been consulted as freely in the matter as his position at the head of the Department of State demands and that the War Department and officers of the army have too much sway in dealing with the affair.

A report also was persistent tonight that Secretary Knox's resignation in the near future would not cause great surprise. No confirmation was obtainable. In fact there was every indication that with its publication denials would be forthcoming. At the same time members of Congress, who have had occasion to consult with the secrecy about foreign affairs recently have indicated that he was in anything but a happy frame of mind. A suggestion that Secretary Knox might retire from the State port folio was current even before the Mexican situation was sprung. The report that the troops were ordered south without consultation with the Secretary of State carried with it the suggestion that this incident had served to increase the tensity of the situation in the State Department.

DR. FAISON SPEAKS.

Third District Member Heard in Support of Free List.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., May 6.—Representative Faison spoke in favor of the Farmers' Free List bill today. He made a capital speech and received hearty applause. He denied emphatically the charge of the Republicans that the Democratic party is a party of destruction. H. E. C. B.

Ladies in particular appreciate character and style in the appearance of their eye glasses. Without overlooking the important requisite, "comfort," we give to your glasses that desirable exclusiveness in appearance that is so essential to particular people who appreciate good glasses. Our new Shuron eye glasses combine efficiency and beauty. Come in and see them. Dr. Vineberg, Eye Specialist, Masonic Temple. Eyes tested free. **

REFUSAL OF DIAZ ASTOUNDS MEXICO

The President Perfers War to Peace and Fighting Will Soon be Renewed.

WOULD NOT YIELD TO MADERO

Surprise Felt by Public Shared by Officials—Diaz Grimly Faces Desperate Situation—Wild Rumors Afloat.

Mexico City, May 6.—Believing that Gen. Diaz had determined to accede to the demand of Madero, thousands of residents of the capital were astounded this afternoon to learn that the last moment of the armistice had passed without an agreement having been reached. In the declaration of Madero that he would resume hostilities they read the answer of the President that he would not yield his high position. Surprise felt by the public was shared by officials. Almost all of the residents had entertained the hope that peace would be declared.

Tonight newsboys are finding it difficult to supply the demand for papers. In the cafes, the clubs, the theatres and in the streets men are eagerly seeking news and on every hand is heard the query regarding intervention.

Meanwhile the old soldier President sits in his office at his home on Cadena street, grimly facing the most desperate situation which has menaced Mexico since he assumed control more than 30 years ago. Army officers, members of his cabinet and other high officials come and go, but from the President's home comes no word that he is yet willing to announce his intention to resign. Members of his cabinet refuse to discuss the situation.

Minister Limantour and Minister De LaBarra have had numerous conferences with Diaz since yesterday noon and it may be assumed that Limantour at least has urged the advisability of yielding.

Proposed as he has been for the provisional presidency, De LaBarra declares his position is too delicate for him to talk for publication more than to state—hours after the breaking of the armistice, that the government is waiting for a reply to the note sent to Judge Carbajal.

It is thought to be barely possible that Diaz yet may avail himself of the opportunity to bring peace to his country by yielding, but those who know the old man's personal character now say that having ignored Madero's ultimatum he will not yield.

For weeks Americans have been leaving the city for the United States and the news of today has resulted in a sudden augmentation in the exodus. Tonight's train to Vera Cruz carried numerous Americans, chiefly women and children and many unable to obtain accommodations on boats, whose reservations are booked for three weeks in advance, are attempting to get out of the country over the one railroad left open to the North.

Fear that further fighting will be followed by intervention and that this will result in scenes of tragic disorder is expressed on every hand.

Belief that the United States will take part in Mexico's affairs was stimulated this morning by the publication in a local newspaper of a dispatch from New York purporting to be a copy of a Washington dispatch published in a New York newspaper. According to this dispatch President Taft had discussed at length the situation, saying that intervention was imminent and furnishing the details of the movement of troops and warships, the landing at Vera Cruz and even the amount of the indemnity the United States would ask at the close of the war. This afternoon the New York newspaper telegraphed to this city a statement denying the publication or receipt of any such story. Although not true, the story has had its effect on the people, many of whom now believe the end of independence is at hand. It is this feeling which may grow into more serious menace for Americans.

Peace Conference to No Avail.

El Paso, Texas, May 6.—The conference adjourned at 10:30 o'clock. It was announced that it had been without result.

Senor Braniff is said to have told the revolutionists that the government was disposed to grant everything demanded provided they would make it possible for President Diaz to retire decorously and without humiliation of a public statement. Some of the rebel leaders declared in reply that the condition of the country was such that nothing but a public statement from President Diaz would appease the people.

Judge Carbajal in an interview tonight declared he was still optimistic about peace. He admitted that the rebels' demands had been transmitted by him to the government, but that he had received no instruction in his credentials to discuss the question of the Diaz resignation. He gave the impression that while he had not asked for instructions on the subject, merely transmitting the rebel demands, he had refused to continue negotiations because the government of

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SPORTING NEWS

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CITY BASEBALL LEAGUE OPENING GAMES PLAYED

Games Yesterday:
Y. M. C. A., 11; W. L. I., 1.
Boys' Brigade, 3; Y. M. C. A., 0.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Y. M. C. A.	1	0	1.000
Boys' Brigade	1	0	1.000
W. L. I.	0	1	.000
Y. M. C. A.	0	1	.000

'Twas anything but favorable baseball weather yesterday afternoon, but notwithstanding this, about 300 journeyed out to League Park to see the opening games of the City Baseball League. The crowd would have probably doubled this had the weather been more favorable, but threatening clouds hovered overhead, and the thermometer ebbed low to a disagreeable point, making top coats very comfortable even in the city.

The first game between the Atlantic Coast Line and Wilmington Light Infantry teams was quite interesting, players on both sides displaying some real classy baseball knowledge and execution. The details were as follows:

The A. C. L. boys were first up and Grainger received transportation to first by being hit by a pitched ball, stealing second soon after, and going to third on Emerson's sacrifice, but was put out by first when he tried to steal home. Houston went out at first. Westbrook, the first man up for the W. L. I. was given a pass, Gore fanned, also Wright and Orrell, all three in quick succession.

In the second frame, Hines was safe on error of first, and advanced to third on Terry's single to right. Terry stole second while Johnson was going through the process of fanning. Hines a moment later scored on a squeeze while Bergen was airing to second. Terry scored on a wild pitch after which King was given first on balls, stealing second and third bases in quick succession, Green ending it by fanning. Orrell in the last half fouled to Terry, Rhodes was hit by pitched ball and given first, Morse flew to right and Moore struck out.

In the third inning Grainger again got on first, this time on error of second. Emerson also was safe on first and Grainger went to second. Houston was up when both men were advanced on an error of second, Grainger scoring when Houston flew to center. Hines hit to infield and was safe on fielder's choice, while Emerson went to third on an error, Hines being safe on second. Terry and Johnson whiffed unsuccessfully and it was ended. In the last half, Senter fouled to right, Terry making a long run and pretty catch. Westlake walked, and stole second, Gore struck out and Wright flew out to first.

In the fourth, Bergen flew to second, King popped to pitcher, Green singled and went to second on fumble, stealing third while Grainger was earning a pass. Grainger stole second while Emerson was up, Emerson peeling one out to left for two bags, scoring Green and Grainger. Houston hit to center fielder, who muffed the ball, Emerson scoring. Houston stole second but Hines struck out. The last half went out in one, two, three order.

In the fifth Terry was out at first, Johnson struck out, after which Bergen dropped a single to third, but was caught stealing. The last half died as in the last inning. In the sixth King popped to taird, Green hit to right for two bases, scoring when Grainger singled down first base line, Grainger was caught stealing and Emerson struck out. Westbrook was out to pitcher, after which Gore singled through second. Wright flew to left, Green stole second. Orrell, N., singled to right, scoring Gore, but was caught himself trying for second.

In the seventh inning Houston started with a single to center, scoring on Hines' two-bagger to center. Terry singled to right, scoring Hines, Johnson sacrificed him to second. Bergen hit to short and went to second on an error of short, scoring Terry. Sterrit was out to first, Bergen going to third. Green singled to right, but in trying to stretch it he cut first, and was called out. In the last half Orrell, L., flew to center, after which Rhodes dropped a single to short. Meares flew to right, Hines hit to center and Rhodes was caught on third. At the end of the seventh inning the game was called on account of time being up.

The Tabulated Score:

W. L. I.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Westbrook, r. f.	1	0	0	1	0	0
Gore, M., s. s.	3	0	1	0	0	1
Wright, l. f., c.	3	1	0	5	3	1
Orrell, W., 3-b	3	0	1	0	2	1
Orrell, L., 1-b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Rhodes, 2-b	2	0	1	3	0	1
Morse, l. f.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Moore, c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Hines, c. f.	2	0	1	0	1	1
Senter, p	2	0	0	0	11	0
Total	23	1	4	21	17	5

A. C. L.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Grainger, c. f.	2	2	1	1	1	0
Emerson, s. s.	3	1	1	4	0	0
Houston, 3-b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Hines, H., 2-b	4	2	1	1	1	0
Terry, 1-b	4	2	2	7	0	0
Johnson, r. f.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Bergen, l. f.	4	1	1	1	0	0
King, c	2	0	0	8	1	0
Starratt, c	1	0	0	0	1	0
Green, p	4	2	2	0	10	0
						4
Total	32	11	9	21	15	0

Score by Innings:

A. C. L.	0	2	1	3	0	1	4	0	0	11
W. L. I.	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	3	8

Summary—Earned runs: A. C. L. 4; two-base hits: Emerson, Hines, H., Green; first base on balls: off Green 2, off Senter 2; struck out: by Green 8, by Senter 7; left on bases: A. C. L. 4, W. L. I. 3.
Time of game: 1 hour and 45 minutes.
Umpire: Mr. Walker.
Scorer: Mr. Van Arsdale.

Second Game.

The second game between the Boys' Brigade and the Y. M. C. A. teams was called at 5 o'clock, the first game having been called at the seventh to give way for this game. But for the increasing chilliness of the atmosphere, this game would have called for more applause than the first for the reason that the playing was more evenly matched, both sides making good plays and threatening to score in nearly every inning. The details are as follows:

The Boys' Brigade was first up and

Tabulated Score:

Boys' Brigade.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Greelish, 3-b.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Thompson, c	4	1	1	18	1	1
Mintz, p	4	1	1	0	14	0
Barnes, r. f.	2	1	1	0	0	0
Davis, C. W., 2-b	4	0	0	2	3	2
Burnett, 1-b	4	0	0	3	0	1
Lacy, s. s.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Davis, L. F., l. f.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Davis, C. C., c. f.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Total	33	3	5	27	19	4

Y. M. C. A.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Shepherd, c. f.	3	0	0	1	0	1
Goodbury, l. f.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hanson, 1. f.	2	0	0	1	0	1
Lewis, c	4	0	1	13	4	1
Betts, 2-b	3	0	0	2	3	3
Bell, 2-b.	3	0	0	1	2	0
Taylor, S., s. s.	3	0	1	0	1	0
Fillyaw, 1-b	4	0	1	9	0	2
Cashwell, r. f.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor, P., p	3	0	0	0	10	1
Total	30	0	3	27	20	9

Score by Innings:

Club:										R.	H.	E.
Brigade	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	4
Y. M. C. A.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	9

Summary—Two-base hits: Mintz; base on balls: off Mintz 4, off Taylor 2; struck out: by Mintz 13, by Taylor 9; double plays: L. T. Davis to C. W. Davis.
Time: 1 hour and 45 minutes.

Greelish went out third to first, after which Thompson got a single to center, stealing second, and going to third on an error of catcher. Mintz hit to left for two bases scoring Thompson, and went to third on a passed ball. Barnes was given a pass, and stole second. Davis, C. W., was safe on an infield hit, advancing Mintz and Davis and filling the corners. Burnett was safe on a sacrifice hit, Mintz scoring; Lacy sacrificed, scoring Barnes on an error of first, advancing Davis to third and Burnett to second. Davis, L. F., struck out, ending the hope. For the Y. M. C. A., Shepherd was given transportation to first, was sacrificed by Goldberg, who was safe on first, error of second; both men advanced on another error of second while Lewis was up, Lewis beating it to first on a third strike, while Shepherd was caught at the plate. Betts was safe on first by fielder's choice, catching Goldberg at the rubber; Lewis was forced at third when Bell hit to infield, ending the inning.

In the second Davis, C. C., singled to center and stole second; Greelish was out third to first, while Davis went to third; Thompson flew to center and Davis was caught at the plate. In the last half S. Taylor singled to left, advancing to second when Fillyaw singled to short; Fillyaw stole second and Taylor third; Cashwell fouled to catcher, and P. A. Taylor struck out, also Shepherd.

In the third Mintz was safe on an error of left, and stole second, going to third on wild throw of catcher; Barnes was walked and stole second; C. W. Davis struck out, and Mintz was out trying to steal home; Goldberk struck out after which Lewis singled to first and stole second; Betts was passed to first; Bell flew to pitcher, after which S. Taylor walked and Fillyaw struck out.

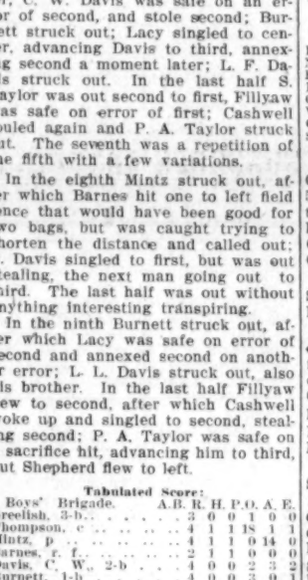
In the fourth Lacy was out second to first; L. F. Davis was safe on an error of center, but was caught stealing, C. C. Davis going out on first. Cashwell in the last half struck out again, Taylor, P. A., walked, and stole second, also third; Shepherd struck out, as did Hanson, batting for Goldberg.

Both sides were out in order in the fifth. In the sixth Barnes flew to center, C. W. Davis was safe on an error of second, and stole second; Burnett struck out; Lacy singled to center, advancing Davis to third, annexing second a moment later; L. F. Davis struck out. In the last half S. Taylor was out second to first, Fillyaw was safe on error of first; Cashwell fouled again and P. A. Taylor struck out. The seventh was a repetition of the fifth with a few variations.

In the eighth Mintz struck out, after which Barnes hit one to left field fence that would have been good for two bags, but was caught trying to shorten the distance and called out; C. Davis singled to first, but was out stealing, the next man going out to third. The last half was out without anything interesting transpiring.

In the ninth Burnett struck out, after which Lacy was safe on error of second and annexed second on another error; L. L. Davis struck out, also his brother. In the last half Fillyaw flew to second, after which Cashwell woke up and singled to second, stealing second; P. A. Taylor was safe on a sacrifice hit, advancing him to third, but Shepherd flew to left.

New Orleans, May 6.—Captain G. J. Berry, of the United States Revenue Cutter Windom, reports finding the British derelict 3-masted schooner Hiernimus, about 70 miles southeast of the passes, towed and finally beached her to the west of South Pass with anchor under obw.



NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.
At Boston, 9; New York, 15.
At Philadelphia, 12; Brooklyn, 2.
At Pittsburg, 3; St. Louis, 2.
At Chicago, 4; Cincinnati, 5.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Philadelphia	15	5	.750
Pittsburg	12	5	.706
New York	12	6	.667
Chicago	11	8	.600
Cincinnati	6	8	.429
Boston	7	14	.333
Brooklyn	5	14	.263
St. Louis	3	11	.214

Pittsburg, May 6.—Pittsburg today won another close game from St. Louis, the score being 3 to 2. Pittsburg got all its runs in the first inning.

Pittsburg .....300 000 00x—3	5	0	
St. Louis .....000 000 020—2	6	2	

Adams and Gibson; Golden, Harmon and Bresnahan; time 1:40; O'Day ano Brennan.

Chicago, May 6.—Cincinnati defeated Chicago today in the final game of the series 5 to 4.

Chicago .....000 100 300—4	7	2	
Cincinnati .....000 302 000—5	6	2	

Weaver, Pfeister and Brown and Archer; Burns, Gaspar and Clarke; time 2:27; Finneran and Rigler.

Philadelphia, May 6.—Philadelphia hit the ball hard today and defeated Brooklyn 12 to 2, the visitors escaping a shut-out in the ninth, when they made four hits off Moore's delivery.

Brooklyn .....000 000 002—	2	8	2
Philadelphia ...202 201 23x—12	14	1	

Rucker, Schardt and Bergen; Moore and Dooin; time 1:57; bohnson and Eason.

Boston, May 6.—In a heavy hitting game which was marred by erratic fielding and wrangling with the umpire, New York defeated Boston today 15 to 9. Both teams objected forcibly to the decisions of Umpire Klem, who retaliated by ruling Graham and Collins of the locals and Manager McGraw and Doyle, of the Giants, from the grounds. The home club contemplates a protest of the game, according to President Russell.

Boston .....220 102 020—	9	12	5
New York .....034 310 040—15	13	4	

Flaherity, Parsons, Tyler, Frock and Graham and Raridan; Crandall, Raymond, Marquard and Myers; time 2:15; Klem and Doyle.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.
At Washington, 7; Philadelphia, 6.
At New York, 6; Boston, 2.
At Cleveland, 5; Chicago, 5; (eight innings; catch train).
At St. Louis, 4; Detroit, 8.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Detroit	17	3	.850
New York	9	8	.529
Boston	10	9	.526
Philadelphia	9	9	.500
Chicago	8	9	.471
Washington	8	10	.444
Cleveland	7	13	.389
St. Louis	6	13	.316

Cleveland, May 6.—Cleveland and Chicago played a tie game today 5 to 5, play being stopped at the end of the eighth. Both teams played hard baseball.

Cleveland .....103 020 00—5	12	2	
Chicago .....001 010 21—5	12	2	

Blanding and Smith; Olmstead, Scott, Walsh and Sullivan; time 1:46; Dineen and O'Loughlin.

New York, May 6.—The Highlanders broke their losing streak today defeating Boston 6 to 3, in a game full of sensational fielding. Roach, E. Gardner and Chase executed a triple play in the ninth.

Boston .....102 000 000—3	7	3	
New York .....005 010 00x—6	9	2	

Cicotte and Nunamaker; Ford and Sweeney; time 2:10; Evans and Egan.

Washington, May 6.—Washington defeated Philadelphia today in an excited battle 7 to 6. Johnson was wild. Russell was batted hard, Cunningham getting a triple and three singles off his delivery.

Washington ....131 000 202—7	12	4	
Philadelphia ....020 020 020—6	6	3	

Johnson and Ainsmith; Russell, Morgan and Thomas; time 1:55; Connolly and Mullin.

St. Louis, May 6.—Detroit won the final game of the series today 8 to 4. Each team hit hard.

Detroit .....205 000 010—8	13	2	
St. Louis .....011 002 000—4	12	4	

Mullin and Stanage; George, Gregory, Bailey, Pelty and Clarke; time 2:15; Perrine and Sheridan.

Southern League.

At Chattanooga 2; Atlanta 3.
At Birmingham 6; Mobile 5.
At Nashville 1; Memphis 8.
At New Orleans 5; Montgomery 3.

South Atlantic League.

At Albany 9; Charleston 8.
At Columbia 0; Columbus 2.
At Jacksonville 3; Augusta 2.
At Savannah 2; Macon 4.

American Association.

At Kansas City 6; Indianapolis 1.
At Minneapolis 3; Louisville 7.
At Milwaukee 9; Toledo 8.
At St. Paul 5; Columbus 4; (10 innings.)

Virgina League.

At Norfolk 11; Danville 1.
At Petersburg 0; Lynchburg 10.
At Richmond 3; Roanoke 4.

Carolina League.

At Winston-Salem 6; Anderson 3.
At Greenville 3; Greensboro 11.
At Charlotte 21; Spartanburg 4.

College Games.

At Lexington: V. M. I. 7; Massanutton College 0.
At Annapolis 6; Swartmore 0.
At Philadelphia: Princeton 10; Pennsylvania 8.
At Washington: Georgetown 10; Catholic University 8.
At Clemson 2; Wofford 3.
At Macon: Mercer 7; Alabama 3.
At New York: Yale 4; Columbia 3.

Washington, May 6.—A principal for which the coal carrying railroads have contended for before the Inter-State Commerce Commission was recognized today by the commission in an order permitting the Carolina Clinchfield and Ohio Railway to establish lower rates on coal from Virginia points to Charleston, S. C., than to intermediate points. This was the first order of the commission under the long and short haul provision of the law, in which th erequest of the carrier for relief has been granted.

ALLEN DEFEATS GWALTNEY.

Greenville Man Wins Carolina Championship in Charleston, S. C.

Charleston, S. C., May 6.—In a closely contested match played on the links of the Charleston Country Club today, Allen, of Greenville, defeated Gwaltney, of Wilmington, 7 up and 6 to go, thereby winning the championship of the Carolina Golf Association.

The finals in the second, third and fourth flights of the tournament, as played today, were won by Terry, of Charleston, Bureau, of Charlotte, and Whaley, of Charleston. The consolation match was won by Jervey, of Greenville, who defeated H. Wilbur, of Charleston, 4 up and 3 to play.

The final event of the tournament was the grand handicap match in which 18 participated and which was won by Whitsett, of Charleston, with a net score of 76.

REUNION OF VETERANS.

Held at Little Rock This Week—Richmond Will Be Active.

Richmond, Va., May 6.—At the Little Rock re-union of Confederate Veterans next week, a concerted effort, on the part of the R. E. Lee Camp, No. 1, Confederate Veterans, of this city, will be made to bring the re-union of 1913 to Richmond. Hon. J. Taylor Ellison, chairman of the committee in charge of the erection of the Confederate Memorial Institutes, sometimes called the battle abbey, has announced that the architects of the building give assurances that it will be completed in eighteen months or two years. It is proposed to have probably the last great re-union of Confederate Veterans at the opening of the institution.

The structure is to be a very handsome one, to cost $150,000 or more and to stand on ample site adjoining the grounds of the Lee Camp Soldiers' Home, which was presented by the State.

DR. PICKINS ACQUITTED.

Weaverville Dentist Who Killed Two Found Not Guilty.

Asheville, N. C.—May 6.—After an all-night deliberation the jury in the case of Dr. Clarence Pickens, of Weaverville, charged with the double murder of Jerome and Furman Capps, brothers, also of Weaverville, was found not guilty and acquitted in the Superior Court this morning.

Dr. Pickins shot and killed the Capps brothers last August. His defense was that the brothers engaged in wordy warfare with him and later attacked him with an open knife.

The doctor swore that he did not fire until the two men had thrown him down and had cut him on the back and arm.

TAUGHT JAPS TO "ROOT."

Young Franklin Page Back From Eventful Visit to Japan.

New York, May 6.—A young American, who taught the Japanese to "root" Yankee fashion at a baseball game, reached New York today on the last lap of a globe circling tour. He is Franklin Page, aged nine, a son of Frederick H. Page, of Chicago, and with his father he reached port on the steamer LaProvince.

Frankling and his father went to Japan last Fall with the University of Chicago baseball team and saw every game possible between the Americans and their Japanese opponents. Young Page, wild with enthusiasm, yelled like a veteran fan, and after a few innings the Japanese caught the infection and thereafter the yougster's voice was dorwned in a babel of Japanese slang.

MACHINISTS ON STRIKE.

Claim More Than 10,000 Are Out In New York and New Jersey.

New York, May 6.—Twelve thousand machinists in the borough of Queens labor leaders claim, are preparing to join their Brooklyn brethren in striking for an 8-hour-day. Eight hunderd machinists, according to figures given out by the International association of Machinists struck today in Long Island City. It is claimed that more than 10,000 machinists are now on strike in Manhattan, the Bronx, Brooklyn, Yonkers and Hudson county, N. J..

So far no disorders have attended the walk-out.

POLICEMEN KILL EACH OTHER.

Fatal Duel Results From Arrest of Miner for Disorderly Conduct.

Knoxville, Tenn., May 6.—In a pistol duel at Pennington Gap, Va., yesterday afternoon, Policeman George Hinkle and William Hicks killed one another.

Hinkle had arrested a miner on a charge of disorderly conduct, and the miner resisted arrest and Hinkle clubbed him, inflicting an injury on his head.

Hicks urged that the prisoner be taken to a physician. Words ensued, which resulted in both officers firing, killing each other.

TIGERS DEFEAT YALE.

Final Result Was In Doubt Until the Last Event.

Princeton, N. J., May 6.—For the first time in the history of Princeton-Yale track meets, the "Tigers" defeated their old rivals here this afternoon 60 points to 56. The final result was in doubt until the last event. Princeton won in every track event and Yale won or tied in every field event.

Washington, May 6.—A stamp tax of one-eighth of a cent on every five cents worth of proprietary medicines, [illegible] cosmetics and similar articles prepared under secret or privately owned formula is provided for a bill introduced today by Representative Shirley, of Kentucky, and referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

New York, May 6.—Mrs. Barney Williams, who toured Europe in "the emerald ring," in which Sir Henry Irving played a juvenile part when the production appeared in London, died here tonight in her 86th year. Her last engagement was in Edwin Booth's theatre in 1875.

BASEBALL NOW UNDER FIRE.

Republican Wants Democratic House to Investigate That Also.

Washington, May 6.—On the ground that baseball is about the only thing under the sun that has not been made a subject of investigation by the Democratic House, Representative Rodenberg, of Illinois, a Republican, today introduced a resolution providing for an immediate inquiry into the National game. Fouls, pop flies and two-baggers are specified among the subjects needing special inquiry. Umpires are to be compelled to give sworn testimony, but are not to be sworn at.

FROM TRAIN INTO RIVER.

Convict Leaps From Window and Makes His Escape.

Linton, Ind., May 6.—Jumping into the Ohio river from a window of a train which was going at the rate of 40 miles an hour, John Tucker, alias C. W. Wilson, who was being returned here from Elizabethtown, Ill., to stand trial on the charge of forgery, made his escape from officers today. The train was stopped after crossing the bridge and men in boats searched the river, but no trace of the man could be found.

TENNESSEE BRIBERY CASE.

McDonald's Return Necessary to the Investigation.

Nashville, May 6.—The papers in the case of Judge E. C. Goodpasture, of Overton county, charged with offering a bribe to Representative J. Q. McDonald, have been sent to the grand jury.

The charge will not be investigated, it is said, until the return of Mr. McDonald, from Alabama.

Douglas, Ariz., May 6.—Forty-three Mexican Federals held prisoners here by the United States troops since they crossed from Agua Preita when the insurrectos captured the town on April 13th, were released tonight by Col. Charles M. O'Conner on orders from Washington. Many immediately crossed to Agua Preita to rejoin the Federal garrison.

Washington, May 6.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today permitted the Southern Railway and participating carriers to exact a lower rate, tentatively on certain cotton goods from Danville, Va., to Ohio and Mississippi river transfers than to intermediate points. The commission reserves the right to further inquire into the subject.

Savannah, Ga., May 6.—The schooner Annie, Captain S. S. Wall, is anchored in Tybee Roads tonight after a voyage from New York, accomplished in 81 hours, which is believed by local mariners to be a recorn for four-masters, for the trip. The schooner will be towed to her destination, Belfast, Ga., from here.

Washington, May 6.—For selling liquor to Indian students at he Carlisle Indian school, three women, two colored and one white, were convicted at Harrisburg, Pa., according to H. F. Coggeshall, assistant principal, through whose efforts the convictions were obtained.

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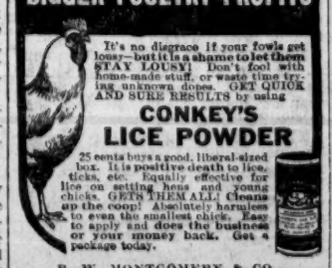
Tickets on sale May 14th to 17th, inclusive. Returning, good to reach starting point not later than midnight May 21st.

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WEEK'S NEWS AT LUMBERTON

Farm Life School Election — Commencement Exercises—County Affairs—Railroad Items—Town Administration.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., May 6.—As the time draws near for the Farm Life school election, considerable interest is beginning to be manifested by the friends of the measure, though it seems that a light vote will be cast as only a small per cent. of the voters is registered, many thinking that the registration books would remain open until today. After interviewing several different farmers from different sections of the county, we are convinced that many of them are opposed to any more bond issues at present.

Supt. Joyner and other speakers from Raleigh have been doing some hard work in the county bu tthey failed to convince such men as Shaw, of St. Paul's, M. L. Marley, of Fairmont, J. F. McKay, and N. B. McArthur of Red Springs, and others we have conversed with. Friends of the measure express surprise at mention of the Indians and colored people in connection with the matter, but all the answers we have heard in reply to the question as to what would be done should they demand similar schools, is that the law said only one school could be established in the county. We are told by those in authority that if the election is carried by the school that all three races will bear the burden, though only the whites will be benefitted.

The election to be held Tuesday, it is estimated, will cost the county $300 to $500. We have heard it stated that the State was footing the bill to furnish the speakers advocating the bill but we do not know if this is correct. If bonds continue to be issued and new offices created it will be necessary to increase the valuation of property as is being talked, without any reduction in the tax rate. 259 voters have registered in Lumberton township for the Farm Life School, but no one can tell how the vote will be.

The Lumberton Graded School closed yesterday after one of the most successful terms durin its existence. There was a large graduating class, composed largely of young ladies. The auditorium was packed to its full capacity Thursday night by the town people who turned out to witness the entertainment given by the students of the school. The pleasure of the occasion was greatly marred by the bad conduct of some of the visitors who are said to have acted in such a manner as to make themselves disagreeable to the audience.

Among the graduates of the Graded School was Worth Jones, the Sunday Star carrier. Worth not only delivers the Star but also the Robesonian and the Robeson Advance. He is one of the most popular boys in town, and his many friends rejoiced to see him ascending the ladder of success so rapidly.

Mayor White held his first court yesterday afternoon when two young white men were tried for flogging a Croatan. It seems that on last Sunday the young men were driving in the country when they had some words with a young Croatan, and he proceeded to put some language on them which they could not resent at the time. Yesterday they saw the young fellow in town and decided to square things up. After hearing the evidence in the case the Mayor said "$5 and costs." That applied to the two young men. The Croatan seemed to have been punished enough. One thing is evident—that those who dance in this town must pay the fiddler.

At a meeting of the Graded School Trustees held yesterday morning, Mr. C. B. Townsend, who was appointed to fill out the unexipred term of Col. N. A. McLean, was elected chairman of the Board. Another meeting was held in the afternoon at which time Superintendent R. E. Sentelle was elected for another year, and his salary raised from $1,200 to $1,500. This action of the Board will meet with the hearty approval of the patrons of the school, for a person who would desire to change the management of the school would be hard to find. The teachers have not yet been chosen, but will be in a short time.

The first green corn of the season was offered for sale at Mr. C. B. Redmond's Parlor Grocery yesterday. The price charged was 10 cents an ear, 3 for a quarter. It is evidently of a very superior quality.

The work of erecting Mr. W. I. Linkhaw's new stables and warehouses on 4th street has been completed and his stock moved in this week. Everything is new.

The County Commissioners have taken another step in the right direction when they secured the services of a good road builder as Superintendent of the roads in this county. Mr. C. N. Huhges, of Washington, N. C., has been elected to the position, and has already entered upon the discharge of his duties. Many people would rather vote for bonds for road improvements than for anything else. That would suit the farmers as much as anything else.

It is the opinion of a good many of our people that the new town administration will not make as many chanes in appointive offices as was thought. The town officials are considered too level-headed to change off good men simply for the sake of making changes. Everything is running nicely and smoothly and it is to be hoped it will continue so.

Mr. A. P. Caldwell, list-taker for Lumberton township, is ready to wait on all who desire to give in taxes. He will be found at his office in the rear of the National Bank building.

It doesn't seem that those in authority mean any foolishness about enforcing the fish law, as a detective is now on the job and only one thing will save trouble—a strict observance of the law. The sale of one redbreast or trout may secure a position for 12 months on the roads.

The supply of strawberries on the local markets here seems to be equal to the demand. The quality is very fine, with prices ranging from 12 1-2 to 20 cents. The berries raised right in this section average up much better than those shipped in.

Mr. R. M. Norment, editor and proprietor of the Robeson Advance, gave an order this week for a new printing press, which is expected to be delivered within the next few weeks. Since the Advance was established last Fall the press work has been done by the Freeman Printing Company. The Advance is steadily growing in favor and is daily making new friends. Mr. Norment is a hustler, and his many friends wish for him the abundant success he so much deserves in his efforts to make his publication a big success.

Engineer Owen Bundy, of the S. A. L., has been happy part of this week at least. He had No. 82 off the main line. He was pulling train No. 45 one morning this week and made the run from Wilmington to Lumberton for water. He picked up 20 minutes on the schedule in 36 miles. The time from Wilmington to this place is two hours and fifteen minutes, and on account of some trouble the train was 25 minutes late leaving Council's, but arrived here only five minutes late. Including flag stations there were between 15 and 20 stops between here and Wilmington.

Last night who is the largest crowd of the season so far, was at the picture show, the electric light plant went dead, and for a few minutes everything was in darkness. In a few minutes though Supt. McGuire was on the scene and had everything going, and the trouble was soon forgotten, the pictures being unusually good. The singing of Miss Ruth Whaley and Dr. Tebeau, with Mr. Ed. Rancke at the piano, was much enjoyed. Lumberton people are proud of their picture show for they know they have the best of any small town in the State and better than many in the cities.

A few Spring chickens have been kidnapped from their mothers and brought to town. It is pitiful to hear the little creatures crying for their mothers. But they bring the price, those the size of robins bringing 30 cents each.

Some one had a little time on their hands one night this week and used it putting out poison. Three good-looking dogs have departed never to return. But the community is still well supplied.

Peter Vallas, proprietor of the Dixie Cafe, has the nicest place we have seen in North Carolina, outside of the cities, and it is far superior to many of the city cafes. Many traveling men say "Pete" has the best place to get a good meal between Wilmington and Charlotte. When it comes to hotels, Mr. D. C. Sinclair, with his new hotel at Laurinburg, is ahead of anything but the Selwyn in Charlotte. But that is to be expected of Mr. Sinclair—he is a Lumberton boy.

Mr. Clarence Redmond and two children spent two days in Wilmington taking in the Catholic Bazaar. Mr. Redmond says it was great—had to be seen to be appreciated in its grandeur——The King Grocery Company is now agents for the celebrated Washington bread, receiving shipments by express every morning, and Manager Bullock says that already his firm is doing a big bread business. The loaves retail at 6 cents each.

We saw a farmer drive into town one morning this week to do some trading, and in place of using a check on the bank, he brought along with him some of his home-raised meat to use in trading. He did not bring many pieces, but when it was weighed and figured up it amounted to $52.05. That man lives at home and boards at the same place, and he would consider a man crazy who would think of going back to the old fence style. But he said he was "agin" the farm life school.

Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Williams, of this place, will be interested to learn that they have severed their connection with the Grand Stock Company with which they have been playing since last Summer, and are again with the old Williams Comedy Company. Mrs. Marie DeGafferelly, who is at the head of the latter company, and Mr. Williams are brother and sister. For several years the Williams Comedy Company was the most popular repertoire show that visited this section, but it is not known now if it will be in this territory next season. It is now playing through Texas.

President John Skelton Williams, of the Raleigh & Charleston, made a trip over that road this week, traveling in a private car.——Rev. P. R. Law, of the Presbyterian Standard, published at Charlotte, visited relatives here this week, returning home yesterday morning.

Mr. Jno. Jones, who has been spending some time with his family returned to his work on the Southern Railway this morning.

The Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has shown its wisdom in selecting Mr. A. W. McLean to succeed the late Col. N. A. McLean, as division counsel. That the interests of the company will be taken care of in the hands of Mr. McLean is well known to all who know him.

The second shipment of ice of the season from Wilmington was received here this morning by the Lumberton Ice Company. Mr. J. H. Morrison, th emanager, states that for the present Sunday hours will be from 8 to 12 o'clock, and as the weather gets warmer hours will be made to suit customers.

State Deputy G. C. Jas. D. Nutt passed through Lumberton this morning from Lumber Bridge, where he had been to institute a new Pythian lodge. Twenty-two charter members were enrolled, and the lodge starts off under most promising conditions. Dr. Nutt is always a welcome visitor in Lumberton.

Eye troubles that cause headaches can be corrected so that the headaches disappear. That is a simple truth, but many still doubt and hesitate. You do not take any risk with us. We guarantee to do what we say. If your eyes cause headaches we can relieve the strain and give you perfect comfort. Dr. Vineberg. Eye Specialist, Masonic Temple. Eyes tested free. **

Baseball.
Gymnasium, golf and tennis shoes and oxfords at Peterson & Rulfs. **

WELDON NEWS NOTES.

Memorial Day Observance—Other Notes of Interest.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Weldon, N. C., May 6.—Mr. Madison Armistead, of Virginia, is here on a short visit.——Mrs. C. W. Gregory spent a few days in Tillery last week.

Rev. J. G. Blalock attended the Roanoke Baptist Union at Tarboro last week.——Dr. J. E. Shields, of Scotland Neck, was here this week on a visit to friends.

The Junior Daniel Chapter, U. D. C., and the Bill Johnston Camp, Confederate Veterans, will observe May 10th as Memorial Day with eloborate exercises. After the exercises at the Graded School, the school children will march in a body to the monument and place howers in memory of the soldiers and sailors of Halifax county. Hon. W. E. Daniel will be the speaker of the day. Dr. A. R. Zollicoffer is master of ceremonies. Following is a list of the marshals: Chiefs, A. C. House, Major R. T. Daniel; Assistants, J. A. House, Jr., T. C. Harrison, L. C. Draper, B. G. Rodwell, C. R. Emry, D. T. Clark, H. L. Allen, J. B. Zollicoffer, W. M. Wheeler, Stanley Pope, R. S. Travis; Lady Marshals, Misses Jeannette Daniel, Susie Zollicoffer, Annie Musgrove, May Cheek, Mamie Zollicoffer, Sallie Long and Julia Rhem.

Sunday morning, May 7th, will be observed at the M. E. Church as a day of thanksgiving and rejoicing, it being the anniversary of the breaking ground for the new church.

Dr. W. H. Furman, of the Polyclinic Hospital, Philadelphia, has taken charge of the practice of Dr. I. E. Green, during the latter's absence. We are glad to learn that Dr. Green continues to improve.

Mr. A. C. Zollicoffer, of Henderson, was here this week with relatives.——Mr. E. F. Johnson, spent a few days with relatives in Richmond the past week.——Messrs. W. E. and R. T. Daniel spent Tuesday in Richmond.——H. G. Rowe attended the Funeral Directors' and Embalmers' Convention at High Point this week.

THE STRAWBERRY SITUATION.

Statement in Behalf of the Carolina Fruit Exchange.

Chadbourn, N. C., May 5.—Editor Star: In regard to the articles that have appeared in the News-Reporter and the Star, these articles in my opinion are very untimely, and to my certain knowledge did not originate from any of the managers or thoughtful members of the Carolina Fruit Exchange.

The exchange desires nothing of this kind, but only intends to work for the good of all concerned, let them be buyers or growers. The last few years has taught the growers that they needed an organization of some kind to enable them to withstand any unnecessary onslaught of oppression brought about by any crooked dealers who chanced to come in contact with them, let them be who they may, or from whence they come. The growers through the Exchange have the protection from the evils they have suffered from in the past. There are crooks in all trades and professions, and they are the parties the growers wish to be protected from, and not from honest buyers and commission men, among whom there are many honest men and gentlemen.

The managers do not believe in these newspaper controversies, which do no good to any one, but provoke ill feelings and engender strife. Everyone who is acquainted with the strawberry deal in and around Chadbourn for the past 12 or 13 years knows well enough that there has been crooked dealings by some few connected with the business, both local and abroad.

The above remarks are only intended for those who feel themselves guilty and of course we expect to hear them squeal. It has been said you can fool some of the people all the time but you cannot fool all of the people all of the time.

A MEMBER OF THE CAROLINA FRUIT EXCHANGE.

IN PIEDMONT CAROLINA.

New Southbound Railroad and Some of the Developments.

(By Rev. C. F. Whitlock.)

Cooleemee, N. C., May 6.—The new railroad, the Winston-Salem Southbound, opens up a fine section of undeveloped country which is being rapidly utilized. It shortens the distance from Wadesboro to Winston by about 50 miles and gives the A. C. L. a competing line into the very heart of the State and the people of Wilmington and eastern North Carolina and South Carolina good connection to and from the Piedmont section of North Carolina via A. C. L. No road has been constructed recently that will be a greater convenience to the traveling public or do more to develop the resources of the State than the Southbound. Work is also being pushed on another line, running from Statesville to Mt. Airy. This road passes through North Iredell, Yadkin and Surry counties and opens up one of the best timbered and most fertile sections of western North Carolina. All this section is admirably adapted to wheat, corn, oats, clover, alfalfa and is unsurpassed as a fruit growing country.

The wheat crop this year is very promising, the acreage being large and the growing crop, which is just beginning to head, in fine condition. Other crops are late, but the dry Spring has given opportunity to put the soil in fine condition and the farmers are expecting a good year. Fruit, especially apples and peaches, has been greatly injured by the cold, but is not a failure. The cotton mills in this section are running full time and there is very little complaint of hard times.

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Long Silk Gloves, double tip; $1.25 value ..... 75c.
Men's 50c Silk Hose ..... 28c.
Double Tip; $1.25 values ..... 75c.
Men's 50c Silk Hose ..... 28c.
75c Dixie Coat Shirts for Men ..... 48c.
Boys' Wash Suits, in Linene and Chambray; good quality, perfect workmanship ..... 48c.
Regular $4.00 and $5.00 Buster Brown Suits .. $2.98
Men's Skelcton-Lined 2-Piece Suits for Spring; regular $10.00 Suits $6.83
Men's Four-in-Hand Silk Ties of 25c value for .... 13c.

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Black Chips, in the newest shapes .... $2.50 to $3.00.
Beautiful line of White Panamas and Milans, for the little Tots ..... $1.25 to $2.00.
Fancy Pompons, double size $1.19
Fancy Quills, in shaded colors ..... 98c.
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Extra heavy grade of Satin Ribbons in all colors; 6 inches wide ..... 35c.
Big stock of Shapes, in Black Neapolitans and Chips, suitable for middle-aged people $1.50
$20.00 Willow Plumes, for $15.00
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50 different styles of Straw Hats for Men and Boys, at ..... 25c.
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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

These time tables are corrected to April 5th, 1911, but their correctness nor the arrivals and departures are not guaranteed, the figures being given as the best available information as to schedules of this company and its connections.

	42	48	*Daily.	49	41	
	*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv .. ..WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	
	10 05pm	11 43am	Ar .. .. .. Goldsboro .. .. Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am	
	11 00pm	12 43pm	Ar .. .. .. Wilson .. .. .. Lv.	1 52pm	5 40am	
	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar .. .. Rocky Mount .. .. Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am	
	2 15am	4 55pm	Ar .. .. .. Weldon .. .. .. Lv.	11 30am	3 24pm	
	4 05am	7 05pm	Ar. .. .. Petersburg .. .. .. Lv.	9 13am	1 36am	
	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar .. .. .. Richmond .. .. .. Lv.	8 15am	1 00am	
	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar .. .. Washington .. .. Lv.	4 20am	9 40pm	
	10 02am	1 15am	Ar. .. .. .. Baltimore .. .. .. Lv.	2 50am	8 20pm	
	12 30pm	3 40am	Ar. .. West Philadelphia .. Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	
	2 12pm	5 40am	Ar. .. Manhattan Tr. (a) .. Lv.	9 59pm	3 58pm	
	2 31pm	6 00am	Ar. .. .. NEW YORK .. .. Lv.	*9 30pm	*3 38pm	

(7th Ave and 32nd St.)

(a)—Connections made at Manhattan Transfer with trains to and from Jersey City, and thence with Desbrosses or Cortlandt street ferries and with Hudson River Terminal tubes to and from lower New York City.

(b)—Sleeper arriving New York 6:00 A. M. may be occupied until 7:30 A. M.

48 and 49—Pullman parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

	42	48	*Daily.	49	41	
	*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv .. ..WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	
	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. .. .. Rocky Mount .. .. Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am	
	3 30am	1 20pm	Lv .. .. Rocky Mount .. .. Ar.	12 55pm	10 35pm	
	4 13am	2 05pm	Ar .. .. .. Tarboro .. .. .. Lv.	12 18pm	9 58pm	
	8 00am	5 55pm	Ar. .. .. NORFOLK .. .. Lv.	*8 15am	*6 20pm	

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars Wilmington and Norfolk.
42 and 49—Pullman Parlor and Dining car, Wilmington and Norfolk.

	55	51	*Daily.	50	54	
	*3 15pm	*5 45am	Lv .. ..WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.	11 40pm	1 40pm	
	7 25pm	9 30am	Ar .. .. .. Florence .. .. .. Lv.	8 00pm	9 30am	
	11 20pm	12 50pm	Ar .. .. .. Charleston .. .. Lv.	4 37pm	5 25am	
	2 25am	3 25pm	Ar. .. .. .. Savannah .. .. .. Lv.	12 05pm	12 25am	
	11 55am	2 20am	Ar .. .. .. Albany .. .. .. Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	
	9 40am	1 45am	Ar .. .. Thomasville .. .. Lv.	1 20am	2 05pm	
	5 50pm	8 50am	Ar .. .. Montgomery .. .. Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	
	7 15am	8 00pm	Ar .. JACKSONVILLE .. Lv.	7 30am	7 55pm	
	2 05pm	2 16am	Ar .. .. Sanford, Fla .. .. Lv.	1 35am	2 55pm	
	7 00pm	7 00am	Ar .. .. .. TAMPA .. .. .. Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	
	9 10pm	8 20am	Ar. .. ST. PETERSBURG .. Lv.	8 05pm	6 30am	
	10 20pm	1 05pm	.. .. FORT MYERS .. .. Lv.	*3 00pm	*6 45am	

ALL TRAINS CARRY PULLMAN SLEEPING CARS—Sleeper arriving Wilmington on No. 50, at 11:40 P. M., may be occupied until 7:00 A. M., and sleeper leaving Wilmington on No. 51 at 5:45 A. M., will be open to receive passengers at 10:00 P. M. the previous night. Seat fares sold in Pullman cars to and from Wilmington.

55	51	*Daily.	32	50	54
*3 15pm	*5 45am	Lv. .. .. WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.	11 40pm	1 40pm	
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar .. .. Florence .. .. Lv.	8 00pm	9 30am	
9 25pm	11 25am	Ar. .. .. Sumter .. .. Lv.	5 55pm	7 35am	
11 10pm	12 55pm	Ar. .. .. COLUMBIA .. .. Lv.	4 10pm	6 00am	
9 25am	.....	Ar .. .. AUGUSTA .. .. Lv.	2 30pm	.....	
11 50pm	1 10pm	Lv. .. .. .. COLUMBIA—Sou. Ry .. .. Ar.	2 30pm	4 40am	
5 50am	7 40pm	Ar. .. .. Saluda—Sou. Ry .. .. Lv.	8 45am	10 25pm	
6 00am	8 15pm	Ar. .. .. .. Hendersonville—Sou. Ry .. .. .. Lv.	8 05am	9 50pm	
7 00am	9 15pm	Ar .. .. .. ASHEVILLE—Sou. Ry. .. .. Lv.	7 00am	8 50pm	
7 20pm	.....	Ar .. .. Knoxville—Sou. Ry .. .. Lv.	*1 35am	8 30am	
11 05am	.....	Ar .. .. Louisville—Sou. Ry .. .. Lv.	.....	7 40am	
8 00am	.....	Ar .. .. .. CINCINNATI—Q. & C. .. .. Lv.	.....	*8 10pm	

51—SLEEPING CAR, Wilmington to Columbia.
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Sleeping cars arriving Wilmington 11:40 P. M. and Columbia 11:10 P. M. may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.
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Seat fares sold in all Pullman cars to and from Wilmington and Columbia.

57	51	55	*Dly.	Dly ex Sun.	xSun only	54	50	58
7 30pm	*5 45am	*3 15pm	Lv ..	WILMINGTON	Ar.	1 40pm	11 50pm	8 30am
9 15pm	7 28am	5 09pm	Ar	CHADBOURN	Lv.	*11 40am	9 58pm	6 25am
10 10pm	11 50am	x5 15pm	Lv	CHADBOURN	Ar.	7 10am	5 00pm	6 15am
11 45pm	1 30pm	6 45pm	Ar	CONWAY	Lv.	x5 40am	3 30pm	4 30am

59	53	*Daily	Daily ex. Sun.	60	52
5 30pm	*8 45am	Lv	WILMINGTON	Ar. 10 15am	8 05pm
9 45pm	11 45am	Ar	Fayetteville	Lv. 7 15am	4 50pm
9 45pm	12 10pm	Lv	Fayetteville	Ar. 6 25am	4 45pm
11 10pm	1 40pm	Ar	.. ..	Lv. 5 00am	*3 30pm

*Daily.	!Daily Except Sunday. xcept Sunday.	63	65
*3 25pm	5 50am	Lv .. .. WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.	12 50pm	6 50pm
8 22pm	7 42am	Ar .. .. Jacksonville, N. C. .. .. .. Lv.	10 55am	4 55pm
6 44pm	9 05am	Ar .. .. .. Nor. and Sou. Junction .. .. .. Lv.	9 35am	3 35pm
6 50pm	9 10am	Ar. .. .. NEWBERN, N. C. .. .. Lv.	*9 30am	!3 30pm

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect Wednesday, May 3rd.

TO THE BEACH

Week Days:

Leave Front and Princess:	Leave Lumina:
6:20 A. M.	
6:50	7:15 A. M.
8:30	7:45
10:00	9:15
11:30	10:45
1:00 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
2:30	1:45
	3:15
and every half hour until	and every half hour until
5:30	5:45
6:10	6:20
7:10	6:50
8:30	9:15
	9:45
10:00	10:45
Sundays:	
8:30 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
9:30	10:15
10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45
2:00	2:45
and every half hour until	and every half hour until
5:30	5:45
6:10	6:20
7:10	6:50
8:30	7:50
	9:15

WRIGHTSVILLE.

Leave Wilmington for Wrightsville:
Week Days—6:20, 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.
Sundays—8:30, 9:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.
Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington:
Week Days—6:20, 7:25, 7:55, 8:30, 9:25, 10:55 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:55 P. M.
Sundays—9:25, 10:25, 10:55 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

FREIGHT—
Daily, Except Sunday.
Leave 9th and Orange—3:00 P. M.
Leave Beach—5:15 P. M.
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Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a m	10:40 p m
Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE R.R. CO.

Office of the Treasurer,
Wilmington, N. C., May 1, 1911.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared a dividend of two and one-half per cent. on the Preferred Capital Stock of that company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, North Carolina, on and after May 10th, 1911. The transfer books are closed from April 29th, 1911, to May 10th, 1911, both dates inclusive.
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Treasurer.
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Sunday, May 7, 1911.

Good morning, Mayor Smith and Messrs. Councilmen.

The papers and the people are loudly talking about Wilson and Harmon, one or the other, as the Democratic nominee for President next year.

What can a town do without a railroad? Why, it can't do any more than a county without good roads. A town without a railroad cannot make any progress. Neither can a county which cannot get its products economically handled on good roads.

Editor T. J. Gantt, of the Whiteville News-Reporter, was a welcome visitor to the Star sanctum yesterday. He is one editor who is thoroughly convinced of the possibilities of Wilmington and eastern North Carolina and his paper is a powerful factor in the progressive movement in this section.

Speaking after the manner of George Ade in "Our Town," Wilmington is not only going to "perk up a plenty," but she is going right up to the head of the parade and step on the heels of the snare-drummer. At any rate, that is the way all of us should feel about it. We have several good and powerful reasons for knowing that we can make Wilmington if we get together and try.

Says the Durham Herald: "Greensboro should not be finding fault with her commissioners until they have had time to get the hang of the thing." There is no law against fault finding and criticism, so the commissioners needn't get worried over it till the fault finders and critics begin to run around with a petition for their "recall." It is only when a man is called down that he is really up against it.

There is remarkable persistency in the rumor that President Diaz, of Mexico, will resign. That is the insistent demand of Gen. Francisco I. Madero, the insurgent leader. If the resignation of the President is forced there is but one conclusion to be reached, and that is that he had to yield to the inevitable—a revolution that is stronger than the government. An old man's thirst for power brought about this condition in Mexico and once again is emphasized the danger of long terms and repeated terms for our rulers.

A man named Eugene Ernest Welke, now living at Passadena, Cal., was separated from three of his brothers during the Civil War. He now writes to the New York Tribune to help him find his brothers, adding: "I would so much love to know what became of my brothers." The missing brothers would be 83, 81, and 77 years of age, so it would seem that his thought of his brothers comes too late. It took him 50 years to make up his mind to hunt up his brothers, but that is no reason why the citizens of Wilmington should let 50 years lapse before they make up their minds to make Wilmington a great city. Take a notion now.

One of Wilmington's greatest needs is a Chamber of Commerce with 500 members instead of 140. A strong and active organization of our citizens is the first step to be taken in making Wilmington. Show us a big Chamber of Commerce where the city building schemes can be discussed and set on foot with "a big push" behind them, and we can count on the rest. Every Wilmington man should be a member of the Chamber. The monthly fee of membership C, is only one dollar and there are in Wilmington a thousand men who wouldn't miss that. The only way to advertise Wilmington is to do your part by joining the organization that is working for the city. What the thunder are you here for?

WILMINGTON'S OPPORTUNITY.

In an oft-quoted poem the late Senator Ingalls, of Kansas, says that "Opportunity, the master of human destiny, knocks once at every gate." They who let her in win fame, or love, or fortune, as they will, but of those who wait until she turns away she says: "Vainly they seek, and uselessly implore; I answer not—and I return no more."

Never did opportunity knock more loudly than she is knocking at the gates of Wilmington today. If we shall hear, and heed, shall open wide the gates and bid her enter, she will come in, not to tarry for a little time, but to abide. Nor will she come alone, for where Opportunity abides, there also dwell her queenly daughters, Prosperity and Power.

Although stated in the form of an allegory, this is nothing but the truth. Mighty forces are at work which are destined, both by evolution and revolution, to work stupendous changes in existing condition, and it behooves the citizens of Wilmington to lift their heads and look abroad that they may see the coming changes and be prepared to meet them when they come and utilize them for the upbuilding of our city.

It is not always the things that lie close at hand which have the profoundest influence. It is the moon, hundreds of thousands of miles away in space, that causes the ceaseless ebbing and flowing of the tides, and there are two collossal engineering works, both of which are many miles away from Wilmington, but which will exert a profound and far-reaching influence upon the future of the city. Both of these great works are canals, the one joining the Atlantic and Pacific oceans at Panama, the other running across the State of New York from Buffalo to the Hudson river, and, in connection with that stream, uniting the Great Lakes and the sea.

Commerce flows, along the lines of lowest cost of transportation just as surely as a river seeks the lowest point in a valley. This is the commercial law or gravitation, and when the Panama canal is opened this law will compel a vast readjustment of the lines of traffic, not only in the United States, but over a large part of the world. There will be a great region contiguous to the Atlantic coast throughout which it will be cheaper to ship goods by way of some Atlantic coast port and the Panama canal, to the Pacific coast and contiguous territory, than to send them across the continent by rail—say, for instance, from Raleigh, N. C., to Reno, Nev.

The same thing will be true of the Gulf coast, but the territory may be wider there than on the Atlantic coast because of the lower cost of transportation on the Mississippi and its tributaries. The United States Steel Corporation is already preparing to ship its products to the Pacific coast by way of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers, and the Panama Canal. It is the cost of transportation which determines the route which traffic will take and the distance from which it can be attracted to any particular point.

The total cost of transportation is made up of two principal parts, the cost of the movement and the cost of transfer at terminal points. There are thousands of tons of freight handled, both by rail and water lines, on which the cost of loading and unloading is far greater than the cost of moving it from point of origin to point of destination, and this leads up to something that the Star has said a good many times already—and expects to say a good many times more.

Wilmington can not directly make the rates on the railroads leading out of the city—although her business men do not intend to rest until the unfair and unjust discriminations from which she now is suffering shall have been removed—but there is one way by which she can reduce the total cost of transportation on all the traffic in and out of the city, and that is by the construction of modern, up-to-date, thoroughly equipped municipally owned terminals.

Every decrease in cost of transportation and increase in the speed and efficiency with which traffic is handled will attract traffic from a wider territory. Every increase in the volume of traffic handled gives added weight to the demand that the present outrageous discrimination against Wilmington and in favor of other ports and shipping points shall be removed.

It is as true of cities as of individuals, as true in economics as in morals, that "unto him that hath shall be given." Through the Panama Canal in 1915 there will begin to pour a mighty tide of traffic. Most of this will come close to Wilmington, but the traffic that builds up a city is not that which comes near, but which comes in. Be sure the port which will get the lion's share of the business of the Panama Canal is the port that has its terminals ready to take care of that business, not a year after the canal is opened, but on the day it is opened.

The greatest opportunity Wilmington has ever known is knocking at our gates today. Shall we throw wide the gates and let her in? Or let her go unheeded—never to return?

Let Wilmington get busy and as early as possible equip this harbor with the docks, piers and terminals that will economize the handling of commerce.

NEW FACTORIES-GETTING PLAN.

Baltimore has enthusiastically taken hold of the new plan to encourage the establishment of new industries. Huge manufacturing establishments are few and far between in any city and they are not looked upon with so much favor as small industries.

Industrial promoters who have made a study of the advantages of small industries to a city have found the most prosperous cities to be those with a large number of manufacturing establishments each employing from five to a hunderd people. Such industries are diversified and do not suffer in the aggregate when despression comes to any one industry. A few may be affected by depression at some period or other, but the majority are always running or at least enough are constantly operated to prevent a wholesale cessation of work and the turning loose upon the community of thousands of unemployed people at one time.

Experts who have carefully considered the industrial problem have committed themselves to the small industry idea and it is growing in popularity. A large number of small industries are more beneficial than one large industry. They employ, in the aggregate, more people and consume a greater variety of raw material. The wages paid are generally better and the earnings in the capital are generally more satisfactory. Competition is not so great and in the manufactory of specialties there is little or no competition at all. There is always some such industries seeking a location and they generally go where they can get close to the supply of raw material. Ten small industries each employing 25 people more than equal to one factory employing 250 people. At any rate, ten small industries employing 250 people in the aggregate are just as advantageous to a city as one factory giving employment to a like number of people.

The small industries idea is popular. Some of the most enterprising cities have made a specialty of encouraging the establishment of small industris and different schemes are being carried out to foster such enterprises. Baltimore has taken to the idea and the city builders there have enthusiastically entered upon a plan, which, it would seem, should succeed admirably.

The plan gotten up by the boosters was the organization of a joint stock company for the erection of an industrial building which is to be popularly known as The Beehive, because of the multiplicity of industries it is supposed to contain. The capital stock was made $300,000 and it has been so rapidly taken that on Thursday the subscriptions lacked only $25,000 with the probability that it would be oversubscribed, in a few hours. The company has taken an option on a factory site, the property has now been purchased, all the plans adopted and within a few weeks workmen will begin construction of The Beehive under the supervision of the building committee of the corporation.

The Beehive is not to be a factory building but a factories building. It will be a large affair so it can afford space and apartments for numerous industries, will have its own power, lighting and heating facilities, and all the modern conveniences. Manufacturing space of any dimension will be rented at low prices, including power, heat, light janitor services, etc. All the manufacturer has to do is to move in, install his machinery and turn on the electricity and go to work.

The Beehive plan looks good. It will save small manufacturers the expense of erecting buildings, installing power and keeping up their plants at greater cost than probably the industry would warrant. In The Beehive the capital of manufacturers can go into their business and be employed in manufacturing instead of a large portion of its being invested in individual plants that would make some of the smallest industries impossible. Manufacturers can get as much or as little space as they want, and power can be furnished just as it is needed, and there are many advantages which make the plan more economical for the small manufacturer.

The Beehive plan is not an experiment, since it has proven successful in other cities, and it will generally be agreed that it is an attractive scheme to increase a city's industries.

GETTING OFF THE SHACKLES.

Under the prolonged domination of the Republican party at Washington it was feared that the "money power" as it has been called by Democrats and Progressive Republicans, had more to do with the government than did the people. There was a great deal of truth about it, but the progressive movement all along the line seems to be bringing about a new order of things.

President Taft seems to be heeding the progressive sentiment and in some of his appointments he is astonishing the natives. Wonder is being expressed at his recent appointment of Governor Curtis Guild, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Russia. More is the wonder that the Senate has confirmed the appointment.

Mr. Guild is a Republican all right, but he is so "different" that his appointment causes the comment that it indicates that the financial influences at Washington have grown less and are not being considered as formerly. For instance, J. Pierpont Morgan was supposed to have been a great power behind the throne at Washington, but if he has been so heretofore he evidently was not consulted about the appointment of Mr. Guild, for that gentleman does not belong to the plutocratic element of Republicanism. The Guild family owns the Boston Commercial Bulletin, and it will be recalled what a sensation was created some time ago by an article signed by Governor Guild, containing a stinging criticism of the lobby work of President Millen and Vice President Byrnes, of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad. Subsequently the Governor wrote:

"The mask is off. We have all of us dore injustice to Mr. Mellen; gross injustice. Nor is Mr. Byrnes, in his private capacity or in any capacity as a corporation employe, the truculent braggart that he seems in the press reports of railroad hearings. Both of these men and others of their kind are but hired megaphones through which a beefy, red-faced, thick-necked, financial bully, drunk with wealth and power, bawls his orders to stock markets, directors, courts, governments and nations. We have been listening to Mr. Morgan."

Guild seems to have made an explanation but not an apology, shifting the principal blame to Morgan. Mellen has been accused of dominating New England politics and Guild would have it appear that it was Morgan who was really doing it, using the railroad magnate as his lieutenant.

Whether Guild is right or wrong, he might have been classed with the wild-eyed progressives and shut out from any kind of consideration at Washington. His references to Morgan so pleased Senator LaFollette at the time that the leader of the "Pro-industries employing 250 people in of Guild's harsh article in the Senate in April of last year, and because the Senator had it printed in the Congressional Record he was very severely chided for thus emphasizing such an offensive personal attack on the Wall Street magnate.

Guild's appointment to a distinguished post now emphasizes the great change in the political atmosphere at Washington. A few years ago such a bold, defiant fellow would have been persona non grata at the National Capital, but now he is honored. Surely the political times are out of joint.

Probably that cock-and-bull story originated in Caesar's Head.

The recent winterish weather causes the Greensboro Record to remark: "The peach that has survived this Spring is a peach sure enough." Nevertheless, there will be plenty of "peaches" at Wrightsville Beach this Summer. No Greensboro editor could survive a seaside peach.

Privilege is what we are permitted to do without being forbidden by law. License is what we are permitted by law to do if we pay the fee required. A right is what the constitution recognizes is inherently ours and guarantees to us. Liberty is the free exercise of our rights, but the people can take away any of our privileges when they are contrary to the public welfare and they can refuse us license when the thing we are licensed to do becomes hurtful to society. Some people mistake privilege and license for rights and have an idea that their liberty is interfered with when privileges and licenses are taken away. Of course, they are wrong and should quit calling privileges and licenses rights.

CURRENT COMMENT.

To have a cotton center in the biggest cotton city in the South instead of across the seas, in Liverpool, is a logical idea, and the president of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange has promulgated it among cotton men. When it is materialized, it will prove of great benefit to this country, and the South especially.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

"A train robber is a mighty mean man, but what can be thought of the Westerner who stole his wife's "rat" and sold it to get himself a supply of liquor? Some men would sell every hair on their wife's head for a drink."—Wilmington Star. Still, if he bought enough whiskey and drank it he might be able to see a whole supply of rats.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

When we hear a man talking good roads we always stop to listen, because it is a practical theme. It is a real live question and means more to North Carolina people than all the reciprocity bills the professional politicians can originate. So far as substantial benefits are concerned, give us a system of good roads and we are not caring much who elects the next President of the United States.—Greensboro News.

Asheville has, perhaps, the most thoroughly organized and most energetic board of health of any city in the South. This board issues a monthly bulletin of eight pages, treating of health conditions in general—of tuberculosis, of flies, of milk and of cleanliness on the premises. A "fly catechism," has been pasted in the spelling book of every pupil in the city graded schools. We are going to copy this catechism, along with other matter from the Asheville bulletin. Asheville is quite a Mecca for consumptives, but it guards itself against infection. The bulletin says: "The health department tries to keep a record of every tubercular case in the city of Asheville, and tries to fumigate the room that such patient has occupied, immediately after the room is vacated, and we come very nearly succeeding." And there is further this statement: "Asheville opens wide her doors to the sick and the well from every clime, but she demands that the sick shall so comport themselves that they shall not become a menace to the health of her citizens or the strangers within her gates." Asheville is certainly wide awake on the subject of good health.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The Southbound Railroad Company is drawing pretty strongly on Wilmington talent, and it is drawing wisely. Mr. Sam P. Collier, Jr., has been located at Winston-Salem as the geenral freight and passenger agent, and from Wilmington the company has now drawn Mr. Frank G. Harris, as commercial agent. Both these young men are representative of Wilmington's best and their selection shows that the Southbound is looking out for the right sort of material.—Charlotte Chronicle.

It has been one of the boasts of the protected textile industries of this country that they have never formed trusts or entered into combinations for the restraint of competition among themselves, as the result of being defended by the tariff against foreign competition. They have claimed that, so far as they are concerned, the original idea of the protective principle of fostering domestic industries, which would by competition in their own field and for the supply of the home market keep down the cost of production and restrict prices to such as would make only a fair return upon capital invested, has been observed. Those engaged in these industries have had some difficulty in maintaining this ground, not because they had combined to suppress competition so much as because the defense from foreign competition enabled them to keep up prices in a market of constantly increasing and left no inducement for striving to reduce cost and improve and economize methods. This would certainly appear to be an inopportune time for such a merger of cotton spinning mills in the South as is just now being "promoted." Its purpose is said to be to take over under the control of one corporation with $35,000,000 capital yarn mills in several Southern States which now operate 400,000 spindles already pledged to the "combine," and to be capable of extending this control to 1,000,000 spindles. The proposal is to merge "certain yarn mills in the Southern States into one large corporation to be capitalized with $10,000,000 30-year 6 per cent. first mortgage bonds, $12,500,000 7 1-2 per cent. preferred stock, and $12,500,000 common stock." The securities are to be issued "on a basis of 1,000,000 spindles to be acquired, or properties of the value of $25,000,000." The $10,000,000 bonds would be used in purchasing properties and for working capital, 20 per cent. of the value of property as assessed by experts to be paid for in cash and 40 per cent. in preferred and 40 per cent. in common stock. The promoter is to be compensated with 10 per cent. of the stock, half preferred and half common. This looks very much like a trust-forming performance and can hardly escape being treated as such.—New York Journal of Commerce.

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Usual Pretty and Impressive Services in Oakdale Cemetery on Wednesday of This Week—Orator and Chaplain.

Under the auspices of Cape Fear Chapter No. 2, United Daughters of the Confederacy, all arrangements have been made for the usual pretty and impressive observance of Confederate Memorial Day in beautiful Oakdale cemetery on Wednesday of this week, May 10th. As in years gone by, it is expected that there will be a very large attendance and that the people of Wilmington generally will join in the spirit of the occasion.

According to the arrangements there will be the usual procession of the military and Confederate organizations from the lodge in the cemetery to the base of the Confederate monument on the grounds and this will be formed promptly at 4:30 o'clock in the following order: Wilmington Light Infantry, Boys' Brigade, the orator, Rev. J. M. Plowden, and the chaplain, Rev. Wm. E. Cox, both of Wilmington; president and superintendent of Oakdale cemetery; Cape Fear Camp No. 254, United Confederate Veterans; Sons of Confederate Veterans, Cape Fear Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy; George Davis Chapter, Children of the Confederacy.

Mr. G. J. Boney has been selected as chief marshal of the occasion and he has named the following aides, Messrs. Jesse Dicksey, G. B. Casteen, W. M. Hankins and T. King. The commanders of the respective divisions of the parades are asked to have everything ready for the procession to move at 4:30 P. M. The exercises will take place from an improvised stand within the enclosure of the monument and the public is cordially invited.

Mrs. Junius Davis, president of Cape Fear Chapter, U. D. C., most earnestly requests each member who can arrange to do so to be at the lodge at Oakdale Tuesday morning, the 9th, at 9:30 o'clock to assist in making the laurel wreathes for the next day, Memorial Day. There are 400 wreathes to be made, and it is hoped a large number of the members will be on hand to aid in the work. The Memorial Committee, of which Mrs. T. E. Sprunt is chairman, has charge of the arrangements for the observance of the day. The following Crosses of Honor are to be given:

Veteran—E. A. Carter, Ord. Sergt. 3rd Regiment N. C. Troops.

Descendants—Henry A. Martindale, Private 10th Regiment N. C. Troops.

Daughter—Rebecca M. Johnston.

David A. Bunting, Lieut. Co. I, 10th regiment, for Daughter Kate B. MacRae.

MR. FALES LOSES DOG.

Family Pet Run Over and Killed by Automoble Yesterday.

Editor Star:—A sad occurrence took place at noon today at Sixth and Castle streets, as I went to dinner. As usual, my little dog, "Shortie," sat out and watched every car passing, and when he saw his master, ran out to meet him, when some one in an automobile, unknown to me, ran over my dog and killed him, without blowing any whistle or other signal, and never stopped to make any apology for the deed, but just went on enjoying the 15-mile speed, and braking the hearts of my children. It may be best for both of us that he did not stop, but I want to caution every driver, and especially those with a little "Tiger" along, to be careful.

It may be one of my children next time, and I might lose my head, which is very likely, and will cause great trouble.

I am very much hurt over the death of my dog, as he was raised as a child and had lots of sense. All the street car men knew him. For six years he has stuck to me, most faithfully. No amount of money would have separated me from my dog. I believe it will be bad luck for the man that did the crime, and I don't think it is safe for anyone driving a car to run at such a speed anywhere along the street car lines when passing street cars, and I am in hopes that this will be looked after, as it is dangerous and they should slow down in passing them.

Respectfully,
J. B. FALES.

TO ENTERTAIN SYNOD.

Fish Supper at Seashore Hotel on Friday Evening of This Week.

A feature of the sessions of the 108th annual meeting of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod and Ministerium in this city during the present week will be a fish supper at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, on Friday afternoon, May 12th. The General Committee of arrangements has announced by letter to members of the congregation that cars for the supper will leave Sixth and Princess streets for the beach at 4:30 P. M. In the printed notices sent out, the time of the outing is given as "Wednesday afternoon, May 12th." This should be Friday afternoon and all members of the congregation are asked to take notice accordingly.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Hugh MacRae and M. F. H. Gouverneur, partners, for $10 and other considerations, five acres of land in Harnett township, on the suburban line, adjoining the lands of Thos. W. Davis; Louisa G. Wright and Wm. A. Wright, to J. Holmes Davis, for $1.25, tract on south side of Castle street, were it extended, where it would intersect Delgado mills tract, containing 4.5 acres of land; D. N. Chadwick, Jr., to J. M. Woolard, for $96, lots 5, 20 and 21, block E, of Winter Park Heights; D. N. Chadwick, Jr., to Chas. D. Foard, for $135, lots 27 and 28, block C, of Winter Park Heights.

"The Belated Bridegroom."
Celebrated Lubin comedy—Grand Theatre tomorrow. **

Baseball.
Gymnasium, golf and tennis shoes and oxfords at Peterson & Rulfs. **

GLOBE BAKING CO.

New and Improved Oven Installed—Invitation to the Public.

The Globe Baking Company, No. 809 North Fourth street, one of Wilminton's youngest but most progressive industrial and manufacturing enterprises, of which Mr. J. E. Boylan is general mannager, has just completed the installation of a new Peterson oven with a capacity of 5,000 loaves of bread daily, and has also added other new and up-to-date machinery that places the company in the very front rank of bakeries in the State and which will ensure for the Globe a large and exclusive patronage wherever its product is known and appreciated.

In re-building and equipping its bakery the Globe people have had the one single purpose in view and that has been to make its establishment thoroughly sanitary. "Cleanliness"—absolute cleanliness—has been enjoined in every department from the time the flour enters the store room until it is delivered to the consumer and upon this foundation they expect to build a business in Wilmington that will be a credit to the city and to the baking plant. And this is not mere blarney—the public is invited to call at the bakery and see for themselves just how rigid ideas of cleanliness are entertained at this bakery. Any afternoon during this week visitors, especially the ladies, are invited to call at the bakery and make an inspection of the plant from front office to bake shop.

And while cleanliness is a cardinal principle, quality is another essential. Two experienced German bakers with capable assistants have been employed and they are turning out a product that is equalled by few and excelled by none. An attractive line of advertising for the Globe Baking Co., begins this morning and housekolders are invited to heed the messages they convey from day to day.

MEETING IN ATLANTA.

Annual Session of Southern Wholesale Grocers This Week.

The annual meeting of the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association, composed of many of the leading wholesalers in the South, will be held in Atlanta, Ga., this week, beginning Wednesday and continuing through Friday, and will be attended by a number of Wilmington dealers, as well as many other members of the organizations throughout North Carolina. Mr. F. E. Hashagen, of the F. E. Hashagen Co., second vice president of the association, will leave tomorrow afternoon for Atlanta and will arrive in time to attend the conferences of the officers and directors which will be held preceding the meeting of the association. Other Wilmington dealers expected to leave Tuesday are: Mr. L. B. Rogers, of the D. L. Gore Co.; Mr. I. W. Cooper; Mr. Lacy Hunt, of McNair & Pearsall; Mr. J. A. Taylor and probably several others.

Mr. J. H. McLaurin, of Jacksonville, Fla., is president of the association, and he writes Mr. Hashagen that there is every indication of a large and enthusiastic attendance at the meeting this week. There are 13 States embraced in the association and the membership includes about 800 of the leading grocers of these States. Wilmington dealers are expecting a most pleasant and profitable meeting in the Georgia metropolis.

TIDEWATER DEMONSTRATION.

Expert From Ruud Manufacturing Co. Here, Will Begin Monday.

The first of the demonstrations of various appliances sold by them, will begin Monday in the offices of the Tidewater Power Company on Princess street. Mr. M. W. Mullens, a representative of the Ruud Manufacturing Co., will demonstrate the Ruud Automatic Instantaneous Gas Water Heaters. This type of heater has proven very popular here, and a number have already been installed. Everyone is interested in hot water and should attend these demonstrations while the advice of an expert can be obtained.

Mr. Mullens will be in the city Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and will be at the offices of the above company at from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. These demonstrations will prove of exceptional value to those who contemplate building new homes, as there are many little things that can be learned regarding hot water installations.

The "main-spring" of any water heater is the thermostat, or heat-controlling device, and the Ruud is the only heater made having an internal thermostat. The thermostat device used in White Steam automobiles is made under the Ruud patents; this fact alone would assure the Ruud superiority, as any other form of heat-control could be used without royalty.

ASST. SECRETARY Y. M. C. A.

Mr. M. O. Alexander, of Baltimore, Md., Will Fill Vacancy.

Mr. M. O. Alexander, of Baltimore, Md., has accepted the position of assistant secretary of the Wilmington Y. M. C. A. to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. H. G. Bowden, who leaves this week to begin his work as field secretary of the Carolinas. Mr. J. B. Huntington, general secretary, received a letter yesterday morning from Mr. Alexander stating that he would accept the position. He will assume his new duties about June 1st. Mr. Alexander has been a member of the Fellowship Plan of study in Baltimore for some time preparing himself for association work and it is expected that he will be a most valuable acquisition to the local staff of Y. M. C. A. workers.

Delegates to Episcopal Council.

At a meeting of the vestry of St. John's Church, the following were elected as delegates and alternates to the Episcopal Council, which meets in St. John's Church, Fayetteville, May 20th: Delegates—Messrs. Nash E. Bunting, W. G. Cleaper, Geo. S. LeGrand and W. Harris Yopp. Alternates—Messrs. H. G. Smallbones, Herbert F. Wilder, W. I. Baxter, and W. J. Clemmons.

Baseball.
Gymnasium, golf and tennis shoes and oxfords at Peterson & Rulfs. **

Selection "Chocolate Soldier."
Grand orchestra tomorrow night. **

DONATIONS ACKNOWLEDGED.

Committee for Great Catholic Bazaar Grateful for Assistance.

The Knights of Columbus and congregation of St. Thomas' Catholic church beg to return their grateful thanks to all the contributors and patrons of the Grand Bazaar just concluded with so much success in the new Woolvin Building on Princess street. A great many of the contributions have previously been acknowledged. The following is now a complete list as the committee has been advised: Chadbourn Lumber Co., Hilton Lumber Co., Robert C. DeRosset, J. D. Stephano, City Laundry Co., Independent Ice Co., Sneed & Co., E. Warren & Son, Di Lenardo, Mrs. J. T. Koons, Mr. Hagar, Mission Pharmacy, Boylan & Hancock, Cash Shoe Store, Wilmington Shoe Store, Wilbur Dosher & Co., M. H. Curran, Kress & Co., Bellamy's Drug Store, Morris Bear & Bro., Geo. R. French & Son, Solomon's Shoe Store, Mercer & Evans Co., Carpenter Grocery, Samuel Bear Sr., & Son, Farris Bakery, Warren's Bakery, People's Supply Co., Rheinstein Dry Goods Co., Einstein Bros., J. Weil, Hall & Pearsall, Pearsall & Co., Heyer Bros., A. W. King & Co., Stevenson & Co., Stone & Co., S. P. McNair, J. A. Taylor, J. S. McEachern Sons Co., Miss Lucy Moore, Globe Baking Co., Wilmington Trading Co., Jurgen Haar, Hopkins & Davis, Rhodes & Hintze, Pure Food Market, Gieschen Bros., W. B. Scnuler, Wilmington Gracery Co., Crystal Palace Confectionery, Hewlett & Price, A. Mavronichols, T. M. Green, Kalali, Mrs. Mahler, J. W. Plummer, Jr., Hyman Supply Co., J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., Bon Marche, $25 in cash by growers, shippers and others at Chadbourn, through Mr. Louis J. Rowell, of the Carolina Fruit Exchange.

The committee is also deeply grateful to the ladies who so liberally contributed various articles for the booths, etc., and to the press which was generous in its notices of the bazaar. Acknowledgment is also made not only of a substantial donation but for the presence and assistance of Mr. Jos. H. Watters. It should be also especially mentioned that Mr. James F. Woolvin gave the hall free of charge; the Tidewater Power Co., furnished an abundance of light and gas for fuel purposes, while Mr. H. E. Longley made all the necessary plumbing connections and gave the fixtures required for the bazaar.

JOSEPH S. MITCHELL, ESQ.

Successfully Passed South Carolina Board Yesterday at Columbia.

Many Wilmington friends of Mr. Joseph S. Mitchell, formerly of this city, but for the past several years in the offices of Messrs. Willcox & Willcox, division counsel of the Atlantic Coast Line, with headquarters in Florence, S. C., will felicitate him upon the fact that it was announced yesterday from Columbia, S. C., that he was one of the eight out of a class of 18 who had successfully passed the examination and been admitted to the practice of law in South Carolina. Mr. Mitchell has been studying law in the offices of Messrs. Willcox & Willcox for several years and has written a number of briefs, even before his admission to the bar, that have attracted wide attention. He will not for the present engage actively in the practice of his profession, but will remain in the offices of Messrs. Willcox & Willcox, where his services will be invaluable as a regularly licensed attorney. He is a son of Mrs. J. S. Mitchell and a brother of Messrs. A. J. and George L. Mitchell, of the A. C. L. headquarters in Wilmington. He has the very best wishes of a host of friends here and elsewhere for his success in his chosen profession.

UP THE W. & W. ROAD.

People Enthusiastic Over Prospect for New Train in That Section.

Mr. O. R. Mallard, of Wilson, formerly with the Times, of that city, and now traveling a part of the territory for The Morning Star, returned yesterday evening from a trip up the Wilmington & Weldon railroad, where he spent the week. He reports business and crop conditions very good and promising and says the people are enthusiastic in their contemplation of new service soon to be installed on the W. & W. between this city and Goldsboro. This will not only facilitate travel between the number of progressive towns along the line, but will provide additional mail service by which subscribers to the morning paper at Wilmington will be able to get their papers on an equal schedule with the Raleigh daily. It will also enable the Wilmington paper to reach subscribers on the R. F. D. routes along the line on the same day of publication, which is impossible under the present schedule. First-class mail will, of course, reach them in the same way. Mr. Mallard returns up the W. & W. Monday morning.

BERRIES SLOW IN RIPENING.

About One-Third of Estimated Crop Marketed—450 Cars Last Week.

Owing to weather conditions, berries have been unusually slow in ripening this season, with the result that only about 610 cars had gone forward up to last night, whereas, for the same period last year there had been shipped about 1,466 cars, a decrease of about 850 cars. It was estimated some weeks ago that the crop this year would run 1,500 or 1,600 cars and it is understood that this estimate has not been changed, but it is feared that the weather may yet change it. However, with favorable weather conditions from now on, some believe that the shipment will reach the number which went forward last year.

There were shipped from the berry belt during the past week about 450 cars, 400 of which went forward up to Friday night. The total number of cars for the season up to Friday night is given at 566. Probably 50 cars moved north yesterday, making the total for the season 610.

State Bonds Are Offered.

Local investors will be interested in the advertisement elsewhere in today's paper in which State Treasurer B. R. Lacy offers for sale $310,600 of North Carolina State bonds. Sealed bids will be opened at noon, May 25th, and the securities offer a 4 per cent. investment, payable semi-annually. The advertisement appears elsewhere and will be read with interest.

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MR. O'BRIEN RETURNS.

Former Alderman and Esteemed Citizen Back from Ireland.

As radiant, as smiling, as jolly and as good-natured as the day he left, the picture of good health and happiness, former Alderman Martin O'Brien returned to the city Friday evening from a five-months sojourn on the Emerald Isle, the country of his nativity, and yesterday wherever he appeared on the street, it was at once the signal for an ovation from his friends of whom he has countless numbers in Wilmington.

Mr. O'Brien was accompanied on the return by his cousin, Mr. John O'Brien, who was delighted with his trip, the first in years, but proud to be again in America and at home with his friends and benefactor of more than a quarter of a century. Mr. O'Brien was also accompanied home by Messrs. James and Phillip O'Dwyer, young men of education and refinement, who have selected to carve out their fortunes in America. They were neighbors of Mr. O'Brien in the "old country" and it was a pleasure for him to bring them over, where they have received a cordial welcome from the friends of their sponsor. Mr. O'Brien and party sailed from Queenstown, reaching New York last Wednesday. They spent a short time in the North and reached here Friday evening. Mr. O'Brien had a delightful time in the old country. The Wexford Free Press, published in his native borough, had the following in one of its late issues:

"We have just had a visit from the above gentleman, who has come home from his adopted country to spend a short holiday in his old homestead at Curracloe. Mr. O'Brien is a splendid type of the progressive Irishman, and has been very successful in the business and civic life of his adopted city, being an Alderman of the city of Wilton of many years standing, and having moreover acted as Mayor, pro tem. of the city, off and on for four years. Mr. O'Brien speaks very well of the Irish in the city of Wilmington. He says there are comparatively speaking, very few Irish, but any there are, good exemplary citizens, and hold the highest positions in the gift of their fellow citizens. He is, needless to ay, an out and out Home Ruler, and a staunch supporter of Mr. John Redmond and the Irish party. Since his arrival home, he has visited Mr. Redmond in the House of Commons, and was very warmly received by the Irish Leader. Mr. O'Brien hopes to return in a short time, and we wish him a plesant voyage, and hope he will soon make another voyage to the land of his birth."

ANNIVERSARY BANQUET.

Carolina Council, Royal Arcanum, Celebrate Thursday Night.

The tenth anniversary of Carolina Council, Royal Arcanum, will be celebrated Thursday evening of this week with an elaborate banquet in the banquet hall of the Masonic Temple. Arrangements for the event are now being made by a committee composed of Mr. R. G. Rankin, chairman, and Messrs. W. J. Toomer and M. F. Allen. There are 114 members of Carolina Council in the city and covers will be laid for even a greater number of guests at the banquet, as officers of Cornelius Harnett Council have been invited to attend. Mr. Henry E. Bonitz will preside as master of ceremonies, and a number of impromptu talks will be made by those in attendance.

ANNUAL RALLY TODAY.

An Occasion of Much Interest at Atkinson Baptist Church.

The annual May rally of the Baptist Church at Atkinson will take place there this morning at 10 o'clock. These occasions are always interesting and entertaining, and the rally this morning will be more so, owing to the delightful programme to be presented. An enjoyable feature will be a song service to be conducted by the superintendent, Mr. W. H. Lewis, while addresses will be delivered by Messrs. Charles Larkins and P. R. Stringfield. The Young People's Union will also participate and talks will be made by Messrs. Will Cobb, Mrs. J. G. Lewis and Mrs. E. L. Womble. A large congregation is expected.

Y. M. C. A. MEETING.

Regular Sunday Afternoon Gathering at Association Rooms.

Of more than usual interest will be the regular service for men at the Y. M. C. A. building this afternoon at 5 o'clock. The doors of the association will be open to ladies as well as men and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance of both to hear the address by Rev. Mr. Morton. Miss Lucy McIntosh and Mr. F. E. McCravy will sing several selections. This will be a good-bye meeting for Mr. H. G. Bowden, the retiring associates secretary, who leaves this week to take up his new duties as field secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in the Carolinas.

MAY CLEARANCE SALE.

C. W. Polvogt Company Announce Big Event for This Week.

Readers of the Star at all interested in purchases of dry goods are requested to note the page advertisement of the C. W. Polvogt Co., in today's paper. The cold Spring weather has caused many items to sell slowly hence the big sale. The doors will open Thursday morning at 9 o'clock when the bargain selling will begin. Extra salespeople have been employed to wait on the crowds. Bargain hunters will no doubt crowd this popular establishment. The store will be closed Wednesday, May 10th, to arrange stock.

Funeral This Afternoon.

From the residence of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Green, No. 213 Orange street, the funeral of little Robert Charles Sloan, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Sloan, of Winter Park Gardens, will be conducted at 3 o'clock this afternoon and the interment will be in Oakdale cemetery. Many friends called yesterday and extended their condolences to the deeply bereaved young parents, who have the tenderest sympathy of the entire community in their sorrow.

Baseball.
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MANY VISITORS HERE.

Every Hotel and Boarding House Down Town Filled to Overflowing.

The appearance of "A Chocolate Soldier" at the Academy last night and the fact that many of the strawberry buyers in the trucking territory came in to spend the week-end, filled every hotel and boarding house in the down town district to overflowing with the arrival of the late trains last night and not a few were able to find accommodations at all. Many remained up in the lobbies of the hotels until the outgoing trains this morning, when a large number of those who came in for the show, returned on the early schedules.

Among the arrivals at The Orton yesterday were Dr. W. H. Crowell and wife, Whiteville; Chas. Stuart Brown, Scotland; F. L. Lord and W. H. Powell, Whiteville; K. C. Council, Wanamish; St. Julian Springs, Lake Waccamaw; John X. McDonald, C. E. Clark and Dr. S. A. Smith, Bolton; H. L. Lyon and W. T. Aycock, Whiteville; Mrs. Geo. L. Phiffer, Southport; J. G. Shannon, Whiteville; Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Brown, Southport; Mrs. B. L. Jones, Southport; Mrs. Parker, Miss Parker, Miss Pepper, Mr. H. P. O'Hagin, Southport; Maj. A. J. McKinnon, Maxton; A. B. Holmes, D. G. Robinson, Council's; Mrs. H. L. Lyon, Mrs. W. G. Burkhead, Miss Elizabeth Toon, Miss Lizzie High, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar High, Mrs. Seth Smith, Miss Mary Pitts, Whiteville.

LEAVES BELL COMPANY.

Mr. H. M. Rose Goes With Charlotte Real Estate Firm.

Many friends in this city of Mr. H. McA. Rose, formerly manager of the local district of the Southern Bell Telephone Co., will be interested in the following from yesterday's Charlotte Chronicle:

"A change which has excited much interest in Charlotte business circles, in the resignation of Mr. Hugh McAden Rose, as special agent of the Southern Bell Telephone Company, and his acceptance of a position with the well known real estate firm of F. C. Abbott & Co. Mr. Rose will have charge of the insurance department of this concern. Mr. Rose has been in the employ of the Southern Bell Telephone Company for over 12 years, during which time he has held a number of responsible positions and has gained the complete confidence and admiration of his men. He has a host of friends who wish him all success in his new venture."

Foster-Klander Nuptials.

Mr. Manuel J. Foster and Miss Anna Klander, two popular young people of this city, were united in marriage last Tuesday evening at the parsonage of St. Paul's Lutheran church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. A. Synder, the pastor, in the presence of a few friends of the couple. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. H. Klander. Mr. and Mrs. Foster will reside with her parents at No. 714 South Fifth street.

Old Folks' Day.

Old Folks' Day at Fifth Street Church: At 11 A. M. sermon by the pastor, subject, "At Evening Time It Shall be Light." A chorus choir under the direction of Mr. J. W. Fleet will sing some of the old hymns appropriate to the occasion. Any old or infirm person, whether a member of the church or not, will be furnished conveyance to and from the church, if they will notify the pastor, Rev. G. T. Adams. Preaching at 8 P. M. by the pastor. Special music.

Malaria Causes Loss of Appetite.
The Old Standard GROVES TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

Selection "Chocolate Soldier."
Grand orchestra tomorrow night. **

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. Walter Rutland left last evening for a visit to Jacksonville, Fla.

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Mrs. E. Payson Willard has returned from a two weeks' visit to friends in New York City.

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Mrs. E. T. Carney, of Wilson, arrived yesterday to visit her mother, Mrs. C. Schulken, 1202 North Fourth street.

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Mrs. N. A. Culbreth returned yesterday from Raleigh, where she has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. N. M. Culbreth.

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Mrs. W. L. Harlow and daughter, Miss Wilhelmina Harlow, left yesterday for New York City for a visit of a few days.

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Miss Laura Dodge, of New York, City, is the attractive guest of Mrs. Addison Richard, at her home at 212 Orange street.

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Rev. W. E. Cox, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, left yesterday for Chapel Hill, where he will preach to the University students today.

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Friday's Raleigh Times: "Mrs. S. H. Burtt, of Wilmington, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gustav Hagedorn, returned home today."

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Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Craig have returned from their bridal tour of a week or ten days and are at home to their friends at corner of Second and Grace streets.

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Mr. W. E. Lawson, city editor of the Morning Star, and Mrs. Lawson returned yesterday from Winston-Salem, N. C., where they have been spending three weeks at Mr. Lawson's former home.

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Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer says: "Mrs. W. J. Green has returned from Wilmington, where she spent the Winter with Mrs. Pembroke Jones and Mrs. Geo. Elliott. Mrs. Green will spend part of the Summer at Tokay."

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THE MILITARY BAZAAR WAS A GREAT SUCCESS.

The military bazaar given on Thursday and Friday evenings by the Woman's Auxiliary of the parish of the Good Shepherd (Sixth and Queen streets, was a great success, not only financially but in the measure of delight it gave to all who attended. The closing feature on Friday evening was an old-fashioned concert, in which the participants were dressed in Colonial costume. Among the features of the programme were the following: Quintette, Mrs. Skinner, Mrs. Irving, Mrs. Pridgen and Messrs. Nash and McCartney; solos by Mrs. Ernest Irving, Miss Allie Pridgen, and Miss Allie Skinner; minuet by Archie Burriss, Doris Litgen, Cleo Silvy, Bertha Crumpler, Masters Andrew Hewlett, James Burriss, Archie Parker, Greer Burriss; music by Miss Costin and Master Farrington Costin; quartette by Messrs. Pate, Anson, Armstrong, and Brewer; Mr. Kelly Jewell in an impersonation of "Old Black Joe." The participants were trained by Misses Mildred Hunt and Sadie Booker, and the accompanist was Miss Helen Hopewell.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. M. King, of Scott's Hill, was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Jackson Greer, Esq., of Whiteville, came over yesterday and attended the production of "The Chocolate Soldier," last night at the Academy of Music.

—Rev. C. I. Morgan and Mr. M. Moore, of Salisbury, who will attend the sessions of the North Carolina Lutheran Synod here this week, have arrived in the city and are guests at the home of Mrs. C. Schulken, No. 1202 North Fourth street.

—The Rockingham Post of the past week says: "Mr. John W. Riley leaves this week for Wilmington, where he will be engaged in business. Mr. Riley was one of our best citizens and the town of Rockingham is a great loser by his going from us."

—Mr. Ira A. Smith, of Chester, S. C., superintendent of Swift & Co.'s new fertilizer works in that town, has been in Wilmington the past few days greeting his numerous friends. This factory was completed last August and has this season turned out 12,000 tons of commercial fertilizers.

—Among those registered at the Southern Hotel yesterday were the following: Dr. B. T. Atkins, Councils Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Baker, Newbern; Mr. H. A. Oates, Rocky Mount; Mr. J. W. Williams, Pollocksville; E. L. Cooper, Florence, S. C.; E. B. Blackwell, Raleigh; R. W. Roberts, Vista; A. Taylor, Hamlet; J. A. Rowe, Burgaw; Mrs. McCormick, Maxton; Miss Covington, Maxton.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Prof. C. M. Beach, of Dell High School, who always has an interesting and helpful message, will preach at both services at Brooklyn Baptist Church today.

—"Farmer" T. E. Davis, who has already achieved much distinction as a successful city gardener, yesterday exhibited at the Star office the first silks from early corn and a fully developed bean, all grown at his home at 315 North Seventh street.

—H. M. Deland, the young white man arrested here Friday on two warrants from Chadbourn, each charging him with failure to pay two board bills, was taken yesterday afternoon to Chadbourn by Officer D. P. McCumbee, of that place, who arrived yesterday morning for the prisoner. Deland employed C. F. MacRae, Esq., to defend him and the attorney accompanied him to Chadbourn yesterday.

It Startled the World.

when the astounding claims were first made for Bucklen's Arnica Salve, but forty years of wonderful cures have proved them true, and everywhere it is now known as the best sale on earth for burns, boils, scalds, sores, cuts, bruises, sprains, swellings, eczema, chapped hands, fever sores and piles. Only 25c at R. R. Bellamy's.

..Theatrical..

"A Chocolate Soldier," a splendid musical comedy, very much on the order of a comic opera, was presented at the Academy of Music yesterday, afternoon and night, to two of the largest audiences ever to greet an attraction of the kind in Wilmington. In fact, the day's business was the greatest in the history of the local playhouse. The matinee attendance was unusually large and every seat downstairs for the night performance was sold before the doors of the Academy opened last night.

Both audiences were highly pleased with the attraction. Theatre-goers say that Mr. S. A. Schloss, the lessee of the opera house, could not have selected a finer attraction with which to close the local theatrical season, which has been very successful from every standpoint.

"The Chocolate Soldier" is one of the finest attractions of the kind seen here during the season and the large audiences were highly pleased. The company has its own orchestra of 20-odd pieces, and each musician is an artist. The orchestra was the largest ever to visit Wilmington with an attraction of the kind and was a most pleasing feature of the performances.

The members of the company have unusually fine voices. Miss Grace Drew, the leading lady, was as Nedina Popoli, daughter of Col. Popoli, has a superb voice and is a most graceful and attractive woman. Miss Ilion Bergeree, as Mascha, also deserves special mention. Chas. Purcell, as Lieut. Bumerli, the "Chocolate Soldier," was excellent. All the others were good.

The Popular Bijou.

In spite of the murky, chill weather of yesterday the Bijou enpoyed good business. In fact, the attendance was truly remarkable considering the inclement weather. Last night's audiences were not only large, regardless of atmospheric conditions, but notwithstanding heavy opposition. All the films were of the latest creation, while Mr. Frank Banks, the ever-popular baritone, was greatly enjoyed. Two of the biggest fun pictures ever made are on tomorrow's programme. "Misplaced Jealousy," is one constant howl. It is unique, too, in that the plot hinges around a French beauty doctor and a hair-dresser. Another gigantic scream is "Cupid's Joke," and it is not only awfully jolly, but tells a pretty story. One of the big dramatic films on the bill is "Patricia of the Plains," and has been heralded as the most wonderful of all Western motion picture dramas.

Grand Theatre.

Another most successful week has just closed at the Grand. Many famous pictures were shown and the musical part of the programme was the best ever presented. Tomorrow will usher in another big week, and Grand goers may look for something extremely fine for Monday. "The Belated Bridegrcom," is one of the latest Lubin successes in the comedy line. Another picture is "In Old California," and this is the very newest Selig production and is noted for its beautiful view of California scenery. There will be another picture on the same bill. Mr. Baldwin will sing another brand new song and the orchestra will play a selection from "The Chocolate Soldier." Try the Grand once and you will surely come again.

Joyland.

The programme was well received by the large Saturday crowds at Joyland yesterday and the thrilling scenes in the pictures shown were wildly applauded all through the day and night. The programme for Monday will embrace three of the latest pictures on the list from the manufacturers the past week, and Mr. Reilly will have a new song with which he expects to make as big a hit as with his great Saturday success. Opens at 2:30 and continues till 11 P. M.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements by Wilmington Pastors for Pulpits Today.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Market and 17th streets.—Services at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Subject of lesson sermon, "Adam and Fallen Man."

Trinity M. E. church, Rev. E. C. Sell, pastor.—Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Front street, Rev. H. E. Beatty, pastor.—Service at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, at 8 P. M. You are welcome.

Grace M. E. church, corner of Fourth and Grace streets, Rev. J. C. Wooten, pastor.—At 10 A. M., prayer and praise service; 11 A. M., reception to members and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper; 3:30 P. M., Sunday school; 8 P. M., sermon by the pastor. You are invited to attend these services.

St. James' church, Rev. W. H. Milton, D. D., rector.—Service, sermon and holy communion at 11 A. M.; evening prayer and catechising of Sunday school, at 4 P. M.; evening prayer and sermon at 8 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

Services at St. John's church, morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11 A. M., by Dr. James Carmichael, rector emeritus.

Dock Street Christian church, Dock street between Third and Fourth, Rev. C. Manly Morton, pastor.—Regular services Lord's Day morning and evening. Bible school at 10 A. M.; morning sermon at 11 A. M.; evening sermon at 8 P. M.; Christian Endeavor at 7:15 P. M. Public cordially invited to every service. "Come with us and we will do thee good."

St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Market streets, Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor.—German service, 11 A. M.; English service, 8 P. M. Sunday school, 3:30 P. M. A cordial invitation to all. Seats free.

At the Christian church, Dr. Jesse C. Caldwell, president Atlantic Christian College, will fill the pulpit at Dock Street Christian church, both this morning and evening. Dr. Caldwell is one of the foremost preachers and educators of the Christian church. He is a member of the Caldwell family, so closely connected with the educational development of North Carolina, and while he was born in Kentucky and educated in New England, he comes back to North Carolina to do his life's work. There is a great treat in store for all who hear him. The public cordially invited to hear him.

Sixth Street Advent church, services morning and evening. Subject at night: "Facts for Critics; History Proves the Divinity of Christ." Communion service after sermon. Rev. J. P. King, pastor.

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NEW CITY COUNCIL NOW TAKES CHARGE

(Continued from Page One.)

nal transfer of the reins of government; the Councilmen under the new form simply took charge. Several members of the Board of Aldermen, under the old plan, and commissioners, were present and heartily congratulated the Councilmen and expressed the wish that they will achieve great results in the management of the affairs of the city. After the Councilmen had taken the oath, there were calls for Mayor Smith, who responded in a most interesting address, in which he spoke of a number of things of interest just at this time. He said that he desired to return his thanks to the people of Wilmington for the high honor conferred upon him and said that he would do every trust reposed in him.

Mayor Smith said that he regarded everyone his friend and hoped that all would work together to make the new government a success and Wilmington a greater city. Prohibition, he said, is not any longer a question and he hoped this subject would forever be buried. Every member of the Council, he said, stood for the enforcement of law and order; that there were no division between the Councilmen; that any lines which had been drawn in the election no longer existed; that the Council is harmonious and expects to work together for the good of the entire city. The Council expects to have law and order in Wilmington, he said, but no one will be persecuted. If any expect all the "blind tigers" to be put out of commission they will be disappointed; the number, however, may be greatly reduced, and the "tigers" will hardly dare be so bold as in the past. It will be the policy of the new government to enforce all the laws, he said and bring about a better condition of things in the city.

Mayor Smith made an earnest plea that the public give the commission plan chance to give results before entering upon any criticism and asked that any person with a grievance bring his trouble direct to the Council and not via the newspapers under a non de plume. The Council represents the people, who will be heard upon any matter which they desire to present to the body for consideration. As to the recall, Mayor Smith said that he would know at the end of six months whether or not he was doing his duty, whether he was in the right office, and if not, Mayor Smith would exercise the recall on himself.

Many people, he said, will expect the Councilmen to do wonders in a few days; they will expect every sidewalk in town to be fixed not later than Monday. Street work is a problem and one which cannot be settled in a day or a week; however, the Council is probably in position to improve Front street at an early date, the cobblestones giving away to a modern and more preferable form of pavement.

With reference to the personnel of the Council, Mayor Smith stated he was glad that the straight ticket, as was advocated by certain elements, was not elected. He remarked that he voted for Messrs. Tiencken and P. Q. Moore, supposed, as it will be recalled, to have represented a different faction from one faction which endorsed and supported Mayor Smith. Being under obligations to no faction or interest and having no pledges to fulfill, Mayor Smith regarded himself free and in position to do his whole duty as he sees it. He referred to the influence of the newspapers and urged the co-operation of the local press in making the commission plan of government all that it is capable of doing.

Just before closing his interesting speech, Mayor Smith remarked with pleasure upon the presence of the ladies and stated that he was glad that he had the moral support of many of the ladies of the city in his candidacy; in fact, very likely many votes came to him through the influence of the ladies. He spoke of the efforts of the women of Sorosis in behalf of a cleaner and more beautiful Wilmington and declared that he would ever be found on the side of such questions championed by the women of the city. In conclusion Mayor Smith stated that everyone should now work for the progressive development of Wilmington.

Following the applause given Mayor Smith, Mayor Pro Tem. Tiencken was called upon and he responded in a short but pleasing talk, thanking most heartily the people of the city for the confidence manifested in him by naming him a member of the Council. He said that he stood for law enforcement; that he had always stood for law enforcement, and if any one had any criticism of him with reference to failure to do his part in the enforcement of law to offer it or forever hold his peace. Mr. Tiencken said that he had a friendly spirit for every member of the Commission. He said that it would not be necessary to exercise the recall in his case; that if a delegation of good citizens would approach him and tell him that he was not doing his duty, he would take off his hat to them.

There were calls for Mr. Parker Quince Moore, councilman from the Fourth Ward, who responded in pleasing and interesting address. After expressing his thanks for the loyal support given him in his election, he stated that the campaign was one of the bitterest and meanest he had ever passed through; that some cowardly men, hidden behind the Law and Order League title, had classed him as a champion of the lawless element in the campaign and fought him along this line; that if those who fought him underhandedly could find any single act or step which showed that he had leaned toward the lawless element, then he would be willing to step down and out now; that he had only the kindliest and friendliest feeling for honorable men who fought him openly and without concealment, and later he took occasion to compliment his opponent, Mr. John J. Fowler, whom he said waged a clean, fair fight. Mr. Moore said that his record as an Alderman of the city for four years was as open as a book to every one in the city. He concluded his eloquent and earnest address by again expressing his appreciation, stating that he could only show this by constant endeavor to make a faithful official, at all times standing for law and order and for the advancement of Wilmington. A number of citizens warmly congratulated Mr. More upon his effort.

Next, Councilman W. E. Perdew, from the Third Ward, and Councilman B. C. Moore, from the First Ward, were called upon, both responding briefly. They declared themselves in favor of law and order and for the advancement of Wilmington and expressed their thanks to the citizens electing them to office.

The meeting then adjourned and most of those present gathered around the new Mayor and Councilmen to express their congratulations and best wishes for a most successful term in office. As stated, the Council met again at 3 o'clock, this time for a conference, the primary object of which was to settle upon men to fill the various offices. For exactly three hours did the Councilmen discuss the election of men for the positions, finally deciding upon those named above, while leaving vacant yet a number of other offices which may be filled at the meeting tomorrow. It is said that the city attorney will be formally elected tomorrow and probably an assistant chief of police or captain. Mr. John J. Fowler, the retiring City Clerk and Treasurer, who was elected chief of police yesterday, will accept the latter place, it is understood, and will probably qualify, give bond and assume his new duties Monday or Tuesday. The question of salaries for the various officers named yesterday was not considered at the meeting, and will probably be brought up tomorrow.

The Fire and Police.

The formal transfer of the fire and police departments to the new administration, these being perhaps two of the most important branches of the city government, was in a communication from the Police and Fire Commission, forwarded to Mayor Smith and the Council as follows:

"Wilmington, N. C., May 6, 1911.

"To The Honorable Mayor and Council, City of Wilmington, N. C.

"Gentlemen:—We have the honor to hand you herewith roster and an inventory of the men and property in the two departments of the City Government under our control during the past two years, and in doing so we desire to express the hope that the same will be found satisfactory and in order.

"The respective departments were taken in our charge two years ago under the act of the North Carolina General Assembly creating the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners of the City of Wilmington and, we have endeavored to maintain the same to the highest possible standard within our power. That our Fire Department has been maintained to the very highest standard, none can gainsay. For efficiency and results it is without a superior in the South. Regardless of popular clamor, we believe that our Police Department as a whole will compare favorably with any in the State. It must be understood, as has been repeatedly given in opinions by the retiring city attorney and as we have publicly proclaimed officially in two resolutions, that our connection with the department has been solely and exclusively with its organization and maintenance, the enforcement of the law and its administration being entirely beyond our province, as we have endeavored on more than one occasion to impress upon the public, and as we and others have been repeatedly advised by the city attorney and other learned attorneys of the local bar. In formally turning over into your hands the two departments, we deem it proper to make this statement after the heat and stress of our late city campaign, and when the minds and hearts of men are open to calmer and more sober pudgment.

"Assuring the council of our confidence and esteem, we are

"Very truly,

"POLICE & FIRE COMMISSION,

"By Wm. E. Springer Chairman."

Editor Gantt Here.

Editor T. Larry Gantt, of the Whiteville News-Reporter, was among the visitors to the city yesterday to witness the big production of "The Chocolate Soldier," at the Academy of Music last night. Mr. Gantt has the most unique and valuable country weekly in North Carolina and is now arranging for his annual meeting of correspondents, which is always a big event in Columbus county.

Funeral Directors' Meeting.

Mr. Walter E. Yopp returned Friday evening from High Point, N. C., where during the past week he attended the annual meeting of the North Carolina Funeral Directors' Association, which he says was a largely attended and most successful gathering. A feature of the entertainment was an elaborate banquet Thursday night. The next annual meeting will be held in Elizabeth City.

Baseball.

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DIED.

SLOAN—At the family home at Winter Park Gardens, Friday, May 5th, 1911, at 12 o'clock midnight, ROBERT CHARLES, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sloan, aged nine months.

Funeral this (Sunday) afternoon at 3 o'clock from residence of Mr. W. H. Green, No. 213 Orange street; interment in Oakdale cemetery. Friends and acquaintances of the family respectfully invited to attend.

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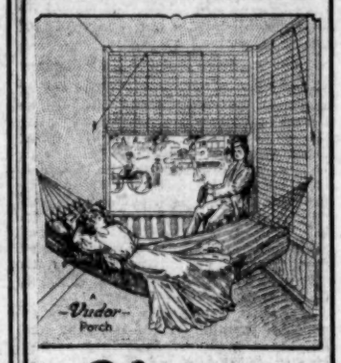
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IRREGULAR DAY FOR COTTON

New High Records for Movement with Close Very Steady—Spot Closed Five Points Higher—Opening Was Steady.

New York, May 6.—The cotton market was somewhat irregular today, but in spite of considerable realizing for over the week and near months made new high records for the movement with the close very steady on the old crop and steady on the new, net eight points higher to three points lower.

The opening was steady at unchanged prices to an advance of seven points with the old crop relatively firm on steady showing of the cables and bullish week-end figures. Favorable weather reports inspired some selling of the late months and after the opening prices eased off to a net decline of 3 to 4 points on these positions, but the other crop ruled generally very firm and in the late trading advanced sharply on bull support and covering by Wall Street shorts. Leading bull brokers sold just enough July to check the upward movement. Old crop positions closed within a point of the best, but the new crop was 2 or 3 points off from the top owing to the failure of the Western belt forecast to indicate the expected rains over Sunday. It called for increasingly cloudy and unsettled conditions in Oklahoma, however, and with the low barometer noted yesterday in the Northwest working southward there was just enough uncertainty over weather conditions to prevent any aggressive selling for short account. Estimates for Monday's receipts at leading points were heavier than previously estimated. Domestic trade accounts showed little or no improvement, curtailment of production in Fall River being estimated at 150,000 pieces for the week. Liverpool, however, reported a continued good trade.

Receipts at the ports today 7,630 bales against 12,440 last week and 5,739 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 2,966 bales against 2,159 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 5 points higher; middling uplands 15.50; middling gulf 15.75; no sales.

Futures oneped steady and closed very steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	15.42	15.46	15.32	15.45
June				15.44
July	15.41	15.48	15.37	15.47
August	14.87	14.94	14.84	14.93
September	13.52	13.52	13.49	13.49
October	13.01	13.01	12.95	12.97
November				12.90
December	12.89	12.89	12.84	12.86
January	12.85	12.88	12.83	12.85
March	12.95			12.94

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 15 5-16; net receipts, 490; gross receipts, 490; stock, 69,529; continent, 1,408; coastwise, 1,208.

New Orleans—Firm, 15 5-16; net receipts, 2,966; gross receipts, 3,223; sales, 620; stock, 97,979; Great Britain, 7,000; continent, 1,040; coastwise, 912.

Mobile—Firm, 15; net receipts, 540; gross receipts, 540; sales, 100; stock, 10,305; coastwise, 257.

Savannah—Steady, 15⅛; net receipts, 1,763; gross receipts, 1,763; sales, 364; stock, 42,613; continent, 439.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts, 130; gross receipts, 130; stock, 14,271.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 680; gross receipts, 680; stock, 11,771.

Norfolk—Steady, 15⅝; net receipts, 875; gross receipts, 875; sales, 80; stock, 11,976; coastwise, 533.

Baltimore—Nominal, 15⅝; stock, 3,541.

New York—Quiet, 15.50; net receipts, 149; gross receipts, 2,970; stock, 150,970; Great Britain, 2,658; continent, 2,181; coastwise, 1,152.

Boston—Quiet, 15.50; net receipts, 37; gross receipts, 2,248; stock, 10,627.

Philadelphia — Quiet, 15.75; gross receipts, 875; stock, 2,807.

Minor Ports—Stock, 2,205.

Total today at all ports—Net, 7,630; Great Britain, 9,658; continent, 8,074; stock, 428,654.

Consolidated at all ports—Net, 7,630; Great Britain, 9,658; continent, 8,074.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,179,502; Great Britain, 3,103,835; France, 875,632; continent, 2,749,695; Japan, 144,932; Mexico, 2,025.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 15 5-16; net receipts, 736; gross receipts, 736; shipments, 2,614; sales, 440; stock, 40,838.

Augusta—Quiet, 15⅛; net receipts, 82; gross receipts, 438; shipments, 1,264; sales, 365; stock, 23,142.

Memphis—Quiet, 15¼; net receipts, 113; gross receipts, 1,045; shipments, 3,554; sales, 1,300; stock, 89,700.

St. Louis—Steady, 15¼; net receipts, 51; gross receipts, 611; shipments, 611; stock, 16,088.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 204; gross receipts, 204; shipments, 311; sales, 400; stock, 20,212.

Little Rock—Firm, 14⅝; net receipts, 228; gross receipts, 228; shipments, 1,052; stock, 18,842.

Louisville—Firm, 15¼.

Total today—Net receipts, 1,414; gross receipts, 3,262; shipments, 9,800; sales, 2,505; stock, 209,428.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, May 6.—Owners of the big concentrated holdings of May wheat here had to slash prices for that delivery four cents a bushel today, to head off shipments which were being headed toward Chicago from all directions. New crop months suffered also but only to a limited extent, closing easy, ⅝@⅞ to 1⅛ under last night. Latest figures on corn were ⅛ to ⅜ down, and for oats, ¼@¾ to ¼. In hog products there was a net gain of 5c. to 12½c.

Wheat, No. 2, red, 94¼@97¾; No. 3, red, 92@97; No. 2, hard, 94¼@97¾; No. 3, hard, 92@97; No. 1, northern, 1.03@1.04; No. 2, northern, 101@1.03; No. 3, northern, 1.00@1.02; No. 2, spring, 95@1.01; No. 3, spring, 95@1.01; velvet chaff, 90@99; durum, 85@93.

Corn—No. 2, 54½@54⅝; No. 2, white, 54@55; No. 2, yellow, 54½@55; No. 3, 54¼; No. 3, white, 54@54½; No. 3, yellow, 54@54⅝; No. 4, 52@53; No. 4, white, 52½@53; No. 4, yellow, 52½@53¼.

Oats—No. 2, 32½; No. 2, white, 34@34½; No. 3, white, 33½@33⅝; No. 4, white, 32@33½; standard, 33⅜@34.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	97	97	93½	94½
July	88⅞	89	88⅛	88⅝
Sept	88⅛	88⅛	87½	87½
Dec	90	90	89¼	89½
Corn:				
May	48	54⅛	53½	53⅞
July	52⅝	52⅝	52⅜	52½
Sept	53¼	53¼	53	53⅛
Dec	51	51⅛	51	51⅛
Oats:				
May	33	33	32¼	32⅝
July	32⅝	32⅝	32⅜	32½
Sept	32¼	32¼	31⅞	32
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
July	14.87½	14.92½	14.87½	14.92½
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
July	8.05	8.10	8.02½	8.07½
Sept	8.12½	8.20	8.12½	8.17½
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
July	7.90	7.92½	7.87½	7.92½
Sept	7.85	7.90	7.82½	7.87½

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Schooners.

Edwin R. Baird, Jr., 238 tons, Bennett, C. D. Maffitt.

Waltham, 440 tons, Barter, C. D. Maffitt.

Joel Cook, 319 tons, Ray, C. D. Maffitt.

Richard E. C. Hartley, 398 tons, Falker, C. D. Maffitt.

Warren B. Potter, 311 tons, Hammett, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—171 bales cotton.

Atlantic Coast Line—509 bales cotton; 19 casks spirits turpentine; 91 barrels rosin; 15 barrels tar; 88 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—680 bales cotton; 19 casks spirits turpentine; 91 barrels rosin; 15 barrels tar; 88 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, May 6.—Flour, quiet. Spring patents, 4.85@5.10; winter patents, 4.00@4.40.

Rye Flour—Firm.

Corn Meal—Firm. Fine white and yellow, 1.15@1.20; coarse, 1.10@1.15; kiln dried, 2.95.

Buckwheat—Quiet.

Barley—Quiet.

Wheat—Spot, easy. No. 2, red, 95½, elevator, and 96⅝c. f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed ⅜c. net lower. May, 95¾; July, 95; Sept., 93⅜.

Corn—Spot, steady; export, new, No. 2, 60, nominal for abroad. Futures unchanged to ½c. net decline; May, 60½; July, 60.

Oats—Spot, firm. Standard white, 40c.; No. 2, 39¾; No. 3, 39¾; No. 4, 39½c. Futures closed nominal.

Cut Meats—Steady. Pickled bellies, 11@12½; pickled hams, 13⅝.

Lard—Firm. Middle West prime, 8.10@8.20; refined, steady; continent, 8.55; compound, 7.07½.

Cotton Seed Oil—Firm and a shade higher, on reports of a better demand from consuming interests, light offerings of crude and, with the firmness of hog products and cotton. Futures closed 1 to 3 points net higher. May, 6.20@6.24; June, 6.22@6.27; July, 6.30@6.31; August, 6.34@6.36; September, 6.32@6.34; prime crude, 5.07@5.20; do. summer yellow, 6.20@6.24; prime winter yellow, 6.30@6.90; do. summer white, 6.30@6.75.

Petroleum—Steady. Refined barrels, 7.25.

Rosin—Easy. Strained, common to good, 7.50.

Turpentine—Easy. Machine barrels, 68.

Rice—Quiet. Domestic, 2¼@5; Patna, 5¾@6.

Molasses — Steady; New Orleans, open kettle, 30@50.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined sugar, steady.

Coffee—Futures steady; spot, steady; Rio, No. 7, 11¾; Santos, No. 4, 12¾c.; mild, quiet; Cordova, 13@15c., nominal.

Butter—Steady, unchanged.

Cheese—Unchanged.

Eggs—Firm; unchanged.

Potatoes—Firm; Bermuda, barrel, 4.25@5.25; Florida, 3.75@5.25.

Cabbage—Dull and unchanged.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, May 6.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady, at 64¾ cents.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Firm, $2.20 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market, firm; $5.00 per barrel, or hard; $7.00 for dip; virgin, $7.50.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady at 58½; rosin, steady, at $3.75; tar, $2.00; crude turpentine, firm at $3.00, $4.50 and $3.75.

Spirits Turpentine	19
Rosin	91
Tar	15
Crude Turpentine	88

Receipts same day last year, 10 casks spirits turpentine; 73 barrels rosin; 16 barrels tar; 18 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—680 bales; same day last year, 158 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, May 6th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $2.75; clay peas, $1.75 per bushel, dull.

POTATOES—Yams, 90 to $1.00 per bu.; Irish potatoes, 80@90 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Net, .09@.10 per lb.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, .18@.20 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .07 per lb.; dry, .12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 16c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, on foot, 18c per lb.; dressed, .20@.22 per lb. Chickens, grown, .40@.50 per head; Chickens, last spring, .20@.35 per head. Geese, .60 per head.

EGGS—Dull, 16c. per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, $2.50 to $3.00 per head; grown sheep, $2.00 to $2.50.

Petersburg Peanut Market.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Farmers' Spanish — Market, weaker, $1.27½ asked; $1.25 bid. Shelled Spanish—No. 1, Spanish, shelled, 6¾c. to 7c. per lb.; No. 2, Spanish, shelled, 5¾c. to 6¼c. per lb. Virginias—Quiet, bunch, 4c. per lb.; Fancy Hand-Picked, 3½c. to 3¾c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3⅜c.; Prime, 3¼c.; Machine Picked, 3¼c. to 3½c.; Shelling stock, 2½c. to 3c. per lb.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, May 6—Turpentine, easy; Machine barrels, 68.

Charleston, May 6.—Turpentine, firm, at 62½@63. Rosin, firm. Quote: A B C, 6.75@6.90; D, 7.00; E, 7.10@8.15; F and G, 7.15; H, 7.15@7.20; I, 7.17½; K, 7.20; M, 7.25; N, W G and W W, 7.30.

Savannah, May 6.—Turpentine, firm, at 63@64. Sales, 2,133; receipts, 728; shipments, 906; stocks, 8,042. Rosin, firm. Sales, 1,908; receipts, 2,506; shipments, 2,755; stocks, 45,516. Quote: B, 6.75; D, 7.00; E, 7.10; F G H, 7.12½; I, 7.15; K, 7.20; M and N, 7.25; W G and W W, 7.30.

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HESITATING TONE IN STOCKS

Trading Fell Off Decidedly on Market Yesterday — Prices Declined Somewhat and Then Recovered — Features.

New York, May 6.—Trading fell off decidedly in the stock market today and was characterized by the same hesitating tone that had ruled during the greater part of the week. Operations apparently consisted for the most part of an evening of accounts by the professionals.

Prices declined somewhat and then recovered. Net changes for the most part were insignificant and there was an absence of anything approaching initiative on either side. Advices, official and private, which reached Wall street indicate that there is little hope of immediate adjustment of the difficulties and the possibility of further complications is recognized as a restraining influence.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value $1,181,000. United States government 2s declined 1-4 on call for the week. Total sales for the day 98,700 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Calmers, pfd	27
Amalgamated Copper	65⅝
American Agricultural	57½
American Beet Sugar	47½
American Can	10⅝
American Car and Foundry	52
American Cotton Oil	56⅜
American Hide and Leather, pfd	22
American Ice Securities	22½
American Linseed	10½
American Locomotive	37
American Smelting and Refining	74⅝
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	104½
American Steel Foundries	40
American Sugar Refining	118
American Tel and Tel	148⅜
American Tobacco, pfd	97½
American Woolen	32½
Anaconda Mining Co	37½
Atchison	109
Atchison, pfd	103½
Atlantic Coast Line	123½
Baltimore and Ohio	104⅝
Bethlehem Steel	31⅜
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	78½
Canadian Pacific	232⅝
Central Leather	27⅛
Central Leather, pfd	99⅛
Central of New Jersey	270
Chesapeake and Ohio	79⅜
Chicago and Alton	25
Chicago Great Western	21½
Chicago Great Western, pfd	43½
Chicago and North Western	144½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	120
C., C., C. and St. Louis	60
Colorado Fuel and Iron	30
Colorado and Southern	33
Consolidated Gas	143⅜
Corn Products	14
Delaware and Hudson	169½
Denver and Rio Grande	28¼
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	65
Distillers' Securities	34
Erie	31
Erie, 1st pfd	48
Erie, 2nd pfd	38
General Electric	154½
Great Northern, pfd	126⅜
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	60½
Illinois Central	137
Interborough-Met	18⅜
Interborough-Met., pfd	52½
Inter-Harvester	128⅜
Inter-Marine, pfd	16⅛
International Paper	10
International Pump	40
Iowa Central	16
Kansas City Southern	35⅜
Kansas City Southern, pfd	67
Laclede Gas	105½
Louisville and Nashville	145⅜
Minneapolis and St. Louis	22
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	137¾
Missouri, Kan. and Texas	37⅜
Missouri, Kan. and Texas, pfd	66
Missouri Pacific	49⅛
National Biscuit	137
National Lead	52½
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	35
New York Central	106⅜
New York, Ontario and Western	42¾
Norfolk and Western	108⅜
North American	73
Northern Pacific	125
Pacific Mail	24⅛
Pennsylvania	122¼
People's Gas	108
Pittsburg, C., C. and St. Louis	94
Pittsburg Coal	20
Pressed Steel Car	32
Pullman Palace Car	160½
Railway Steel Spring	32½
Reading	154⅞
Republic Steel	30
Republic Steel, pfd	94
Rock Island Co	20⅜
Rock Island Co., pfd	61⅜
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	40⅝
St. Louis Southwestern	30
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	66½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	49⅝
Southern Pacific	114⅜
Southern Railway	27
Southern Railway, pfd	64
Tennessee Copper	36
Texas and Pacific	20½
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	19
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	48½
Union Pacific	177⅞
Union Pacific, pfd	94
United States Realty	76½
United States Rubber	39½
United States Steel	74⅝
United States Steel, pfd	119
Utah Copper	44⅜
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	61
Wabash	16
Wabash, pfd	36
Western Maryland	37
Westinghouse Electric	68
Western Union	74½
Wheeling and Lake Erie	4¼

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot Quiet, Prices Ten Points Higher. Sales and Futures.

Liverpool, May 6.—Spot cotton quiet prices ten points higher. American middling fair 8.87; good middling 8.55; middling 8.33; low middling 8.13; good ordinary 7.87; ordinary 7.62. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 600 were for speculation and export and included 5,500 American. Receipts 7,300, all American.

Futures opened and closed steady. May 8.03; May and June 7.98; June and July 7.90; July and August 7.82 1-2; August and September 7.54; September and October 7.11 1-2; October and November 6.92 1-2; November and December 6.86 1-2; December and January 6.84 1-2; January and February 6.84 1-2; February and March 6.84 1-2; March and April 6.84 1-2.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 6.—Money on call nominal. Time loans dull, sixty days 2 1-2 per cent., ninety days 2 3-4 to 3, six months 3 to 3 1-4. Close: Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 to 4 per cent. Sterlin exchange easy with actual business in bankers bill at 4.8450 for sixty day bills and at 4.8640 for demand. Commercial bills 4.84. Bar silver 53 1-4. Mexican dollars 45.

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IT WORKED WELL.

By ANDREW C. EWING.

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I am a bachelor. I am forty. I am a theorist. These few words are abundance of preface to my story.

I have two friends who offered to put themselves in my hands for an experiment in the line of my matrimonial theory. John Auchincloss frankly averred that he believed in marriage, but had always considered it a matter of fate. My idea of taking it out of the hands of fate struck him forcibly. Besides, the plan if properly worked by a third person afforded the best possible chance to at least avoid any bad matrimonial blunder. Helen Englander pretended to make her proposition in a spirit of banter, but admitted that to spend a week continuously with any man would cause her to hate him, and if she married at all it must be as a plunge into a cold bath. Following these two lines of reasoning, both agreed to marry any person I might select, the pair not to meet until one minute before the wedding. I had long considered Auchincloss and Miss Englander as eminently fitted for each other and selected them for a matrimonial venture. One stipulation was made by the bride. After the ceremony she was to have a month before living with her husband. He must leave her immediately after the benediction. This, she said, was necessary to permit her to gather her forces for what she considered "the great sacrifice on the altar of family ties and affection."

There are people who do not impress us at once, but grow on us slowly. The principals in this case both impressed those who met them on sight. Every one said on meeting John Auchincloss, "What a splendid man!" And Helen Englander called forth like encomiums. Would the strong individuality in both harmonize? This must be left to fate, but it is better to take one chance than a dozen, and in this case there was no chance whatever that either would get an unworthy life partner.

The wedding was in every respect worthy of the practical couple concerned in it. It occurred at 11 in the morning, and the only persons present except the bride and groom were the bride's mother and myself. At 11 o'clock John and I stepped up to the Englander front door, rang the bell and were ushered into the drawing room, where Mrs. and Miss Englander were awaiting us. Of course I watched anxiously for the first look that should come over the face of each at beholding the other. John's countenance was perfectly serene. If there was disappointment in it I failed to discover it. Helen's lit up with a quick pleasure, and she drew a long breath as if she had been freed from a great dread. But for these scarcely to be detected features one might have supposed the two had met for the purpose of transferring a piece of property.

As we entered I drew out my watch and noted the time, then went across the hall, where a clergyman was in waiting, brought him in, and the ceremony began exactly forty-eight seconds after the principals had met. John answered the responses as methodically as if he were making an affidavit before a notary, but Helen bungled everything. It was plain that there was no small commotion beneath her rapidly rising and falling bosom. As soon as she had been pronounced a wife she turned to salute her mother, her chief object being to hide the turmoil within her. Then, suddenly turning about, she looked her husband full in the face. For the first time in my life I wished such a woman would give me such a look.

John had ordered a carriage to call for him at five minutes past 11, and the first glance between husband and wife was cut short by the butler announcing that it had arrived. John bid adieu to his mother-in-law, then to his wife. The latter kept her eyes on the carpet till the last moment, then looked up, with a soft reproach in her eyes.

"May I beg a few minutes' indulgence?" said John. "I assumed that our contract made it obligatory on me to depart at once."

"I don't remember that the exact time was stated," said the bride, with a blush.

This was a positive untruth. She had used the word "immediately."

Mrs. Englander asked me if I would partake of some refreshment, and, accompanied by the clergyman, we went out to another room, leaving the newly married pair alone together.

Up to this point I have told that in which I was an important actor. The rest of the story I can only tell by inference. John had agreed to lunch with me at 1 o'clock. He did not appear at the appointed time, nor did I see or hear anything of him during the afternoon. In the evening I went to his rooms, but he had not been there. A messenger had called with a written permit to enter the rooms and remove any articles he chose. A trunk was necessary to take what he selected. I did not see John for thirty days after leaving him with his bride. Then he walked into my office one morning.

"Where have you been?" I asked, somewhat ruffled.

"You remember the contract. I was to leave immediately after the ceremony, as she needed a month in which to recover from the shock and prepare for married life. Well, I left, according to contract, and my wife said there was nothing in the agreement to prevent her going with me. I sent to my rooms for some clothes, and we left on the afternoon train for a wedding trip. That's a bang-up good plan of yours. Any news?"

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., May 7.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Saturday, May 6th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 55 degrees; at 8 P. M., 54 degrees; maximum, 57 degrees; minimum, 49 degrees; mean, 53 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .02; for the month, .02 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Saturday, 4.7.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair in interior; unsettled on the coast, Sunday, Monday, fair; moderate northeast winds.

Port Calendar—May 7.

Sun Rises	5:17 A. M.
Sun Sets	7:00 P. M.
Day's Length	13 hrs. 43 min.
High water at Southport	3:29 A. M.
High water at Wilmington	6:29 A. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

May 6, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today.	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	80	58	.0
Asheville	clear	66	38	.0
Atlanta	clear	70	48	.0
Augusta	clear	72	48	.0
Birmingham	clear	74	52	.0
Boston	clear	68	50	.0
Charleston	cloudy	68	56	.0
Charlotte	clear	68	44	.0
Chicago	clear	68	50	.0
Galveston	clear	74	64	.0
Jacksonville	pt cldy	68	62	.0
Memphis	clear	74	50	.0
Mobile	clear	78	58	.0
Montgomery	clear	74	54	.0
New Orleans	clear	74	60	.0
New York	cloudy	66	46	.0
Palestine	clear	76	52	.0
Oklahoma	clear	74	52	.0
Pittsburg	clear	68	38	.0
Raleigh	clear	68	44	.0
Savannah	pt cldy	68	52	.0
Shreveport	clear	76	52	.0
St. Louis	clear	70	50	.0
Washington	clear	72	36	.0

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ELECTION NOTICE:

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina passed at its 1911 Session, entitled "An Act to empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover county to issue bonds for road improvement and to construct bridges," and by virtue of the power therein given, do hereby call and give notice of an election to be held by the qualified voters of New Hanover county, on Wednesday, the 31st day of May, 1911, between the hours of sunrise and sunset, to determine whether New Hanover county, North Carolina, shall issue $50,000 of its bonds, with interest coupons attached, to continue and complete the repairing, construction and improving the public roads and bridges in said county.

At this election the ballots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written or printed upon them "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the County," or "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the County".

All qualified electors who favor the issue of said bonds shall vote "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the County," and all qualified electors who are opposed to the issue of said bonds shall vote "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the county."

For the purpose of this election as authorized by the said Act, the said Board of Commissioners have ordered, and do hereby order, a new registration for said election, and the following are designated as the polling places in the several townships, precincts and wards, and the persons hereinafter named have been appointed as the Registrars and Judges of election in the said several townships, precincts and wards.

Cape Fear Township—Polling places, Blossom's Store, Castle Hayne; registrar, W. B. Hand; judges, W. H. Shearin and J. H. Johnson.

Harnett, First Division—Sneeden's Store, Delgado; Geo. H. Ward, registrar; W. A. Woods and E. C. Holt, judges.

Harnett, Second Division — Township House, polling place; J. A. Everett, registrar; Geo. R. Smith and Gerrit Walker, judges.

Masonboro township, Township House, polling place; F. A. Montgomery, registrar; D. D. George and Andrew Capps, judges.

Federal Point township, Carolina Beach, polling place; Hans A. Kure, registrar; Thos. J. Burnett and Melvin Horne, judges.

Wilmington—First ward, Precinct No. 1, Engine House, 4th and Campbell streets, polling place; Fred Moore, registrar; C. F. W. Rehder and F. P. Lamb, judges.

Wilmington—First ward, Precinct No. 2, Kerr's Store, 4th and Harnett streets; Isaiah West, registrar; Geo. H. Heyer and C. L. Spencer, judges.

Wilmington — Second ward, Woolvin Building, Princess street, polling place; C. H. Ward, registrar; T. W. Wood and F. S. Shepard, judges.

Wilmington — Third ward, Gilbiem Lodge, 8th and Princess streets, polling place; J. D. Bowen, registrar; L. B. Sasser and Russell Bellamy, judges.

Fourth Ward—W. P. Oldham's Store, Dock between Front and 2nd streets, polling place; M. Crouly, registrar; W. D. McMillan, Jr., and T. G. Pickett, judges.

Fifth Ward, Precinct No. 1, Engine House, 6th and Castle streets, polling place; Jno. W. Gafford, registrar; J. E. Taylor and Henry Gerdes, judges.

Fifth ward, Precinct No. 2, Market House, 5th and Castle streets, polling place; R. A. Burnett, registrar; J. O. Brock and T. B. Willard, judges.

The Registration Books of each Township ,precinct and ward will be kept open for the registration of electors for twenty days preceding the day for closing the registration books as hereinafter provided, Sundays excepted, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and sunset on each day, beginning the 27th day of April, 1911; and said books shall be closed for registration at sunset on the second Saturday before the election, to-wit: On the 20th day of May, 1911, and on Saturday, the 27th day of April, 1911, and on the 6th day of May, 1911, and on the 13th day of May, 1911, and on the 20th day of May, the Saturdays thereafter, the registrars shall attend with their registration books at the polling places of their respective Townships, precincts and wards, for the registration of electors.

The registrars will attend the polling places of their respective Townships, precincts and wards with the registration books, on the Saturday preceding the election, to-wit, the 27th day of May, 1911, from the hour of 9 o'clock A. M., till the hour of 3 o'clock P. M., when and where the said books will be open for the inspection of the electors of said Townships, precincts and wards, and any of the said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books.

This, the 24th day of April, 1911, by order of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County.

D. McEACHERN, Chairman.

Attest:
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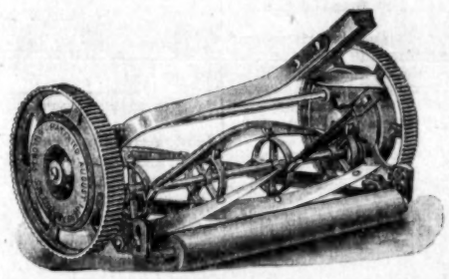
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its own initiative had not extended his instruction to cover that point.

Back to Hostilities.

El Paso, Texas, May 6.—The armistice covering the Chihuahua district and all unofficial communication between the Mexican government and the revolutionists were broken off today and tonight the insurrecto army, under General Francisco I. Madero, Jr., is preparing to pursue the revolution as vigorously as ever.

Juarez will be the first point of attack but the rebels probably will not move for another 24 hours.

Judge Carbajal having notified Dr. Vazquez Gomez, of the rebel peace commission today, that it was impossible for him to continue the peace negotiations on the basis suggested by the rebels and the rebel chief having refused to extend the armistice, the following statement was issued by General Madero, defining his position:

"While General Diaz is in power all laws will be fictitious and all promises tricks of war. With that idea and in order to obtain peace in Mexico, I asked him to make public the intention which he had manifested provately or resigning from the government. In order that he might not feel humiliated or have any pretext to deny such a request, I proposed that I also resign as provisional president, even manifesting to him that I would accept as president for the interim a member of his cabinet, who occupies a post of much confidence and who is correspondingly able to fill it.

"It is not possible for me to do more for my country and if the war continues it will be due solely to the inexplicable ambition of General Diaz. He therefore, will alone be responsible before the civilized world and in history for all the misery which the war may cause. Though determined to pursue their demands to the last ditch, the rebel leaders tonight plainly showed their disappointment at the outcome of the day's events. The answer which Judge Carbajal gave them today addressed to Dr. Gomez, they found vague and inadequate.

Just whether Judge Carbajal actually transmitted to the Mexican government the proposition made by the rebels that President Diaz announced his intention to resign has not been definitely confirmed, but the rebel leaders are of the opinion that the government did not wish to acknowledge, out of courtesy to President Diaz, that it had entertained such a proposition.

Every one in the insurrecto camp is preparing for the re-opening of hostilities. Even some of the rebel political chiefs donned khaki uniforms in readiness for active service.

While General Madero has tactitly let it be known that he will not attack Juarez tonight, General Navarro garrison tonight is scouting the hills to the north in anticipation of an insurrecto advance. The Federals have fortified themselves well and believe they can easily withstand the rebel attack. The revolutionists are scattered in the hills which surround Juarez. They have dug many trenches and tonight are in camp waiting for orders to move, which are expected tomorrow.

McCURDY AND BEACHY.

Aeroplane Race Features Washington Meet.—"Langley Night."

Washington, May 6.—A three-mile aeroplane race between J. A. D. McCurdy and Lincoln Beachy, was the feature today at Washington's aviation meet. Beachy won, time 5 minutes, 10 seconds.

The 15th anniversary of the first successful flight of a heavier than air machine, that of the late Dr. Samuel P. Langley, which was made over the Potomac river, was commemorated tonight by a reception known as "Langley night," at the University Club. Every aviator in town, as well as prominent men interested in aviation, was present to pay tribute to America's pioneer heavier than air aviator.

SCHENK AND HIS BOYS.

Studying Forestry in East, Arrive at Newbern—In Onslow.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., May 6.—Dr. C. A. Schenk, head of the Biltmore School of Forestry, accompanied by about 50 students, arrived in Newbern this morning from Onslow county, where they spent ten days on the John L. Roper Lumber Company's land, near Catherine Lake, studying the geology and timber in that section. They will remain here until Thursday, when they will leave for Sunburst, N. C. While here they will study the lumber industries of Newbern in its various forms, transportation, etc.

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Prizes Announced for Three Regiments of National Guard.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 6.—Captain W. F. Moody, Raleigh, is the winner of the Dupont loving cup trophy that was the grand prize for the best rifle range score in the team contests held the past three weeks by regiments at Raleigh, Goldsboro and Gastonia, respectively for the Third, the Second and the First regiments North Carolina National Guard.

The winning score of the Raleigh team was 1,090. The next highest was the team of Company L, Second Regiment, Lumber Bridge, 1,080; the third, Company D, Third Infantry, of Goldsboro, 1,071 and the fourth highest, Company K, First Infantry, of Asheville, 1,066. The Royster gold medal for the highest individual score in all three shoots was won by Private J. H. Brown Company K, First Regiment, Asheville, his score being 127 out of a possible 150. The McGehee medal for the second highest individual score went to Corporal Wade, of Company D, Second Infantry, Goldsboro, his score being 125. In the Gastonia range shoot for the First Regiment teams just closed, Company K, Asheville, won the first prize of $20 in gold; Company D, of Charlotte, the second prize of $15 in gold; and Company F, of Asheville, the third prize of $10. In the officers' pistol practice, Lieutenant Colonel C. B. Ross, of the Fifth Coast Artillery, of Charlotte, won the prize.

BODIES DANGLING TO TREE.

Negroes Who Would Poison Family Victims of Mob.

Mobile, Ala., May 6.—On the public road three miles west of Lounisville, in Winston county, Miss., the dead bodies of Cliff Jones and Bruce White, half-brothers, colored, were found dangling from the limb of a tree at an early hour today. The negroes had been in the employ of Johnson Pearson, a planter, and had been placed under arrest Friday afternoon for an alleged attempt to poison the Pearson family by placing a solution of strychnine obtained from rat poison, in drinking water. The men were taken away from deputy sheriffs by a mob.

Pearson had occasion to reprimand Jones for cruelty to one of his horses and later in the day refused to advance him money. This evidently angered the negro and according to a confession which he made at the time of his arrest, led to a determination for revenge.

DID NOT ELECT SENATOR.

Joint Assembly of Colorado Legisture Formally Dissolved.

Denver, Colo., May 6.—At 10:30 o'clock tonight the joint Assembly of the Colorado Legislature, balloting to elect a successor to the late United States Senator Charles J. Hughes, Jr., was frmally dissolved, leaving unbroken the deadlock which has existed since January 12th. As a result Colorado with practically a complete Democratic State administration and with an overwhelming Democratic majority in the Legislature will be represented in the United States Senate for the next two years by a solitary Republican, Simon Guggenheim.

A personal fight waged against Mayor W. Speer, of Denver, the leading candidate, whose final strength of 33 votes in the last ballots was exactly one-half of the Democratic majority in the Legislature, is held responsible for the failure to elect a Senator.

STRANGE DEED TO LOT.

Sit at Burlington Must Not Be Used for Bar-room is Provision.

Winston-Salem, N. C., May 6.—Because the deed to the lot on which the government desires to erect a postoffice building in Burlington contains a clause prohibiting the use of the site for a "bar-room or ther immoral purposes," a friendly suit was instituted today by District Attorney Holton to clear the title. The lot was bought several years ago by J. G. Grant, from the North Carolina Railroad Company, a clause being inserted in the deed at that tim stipulating that the property should revert to the railroad company at any future time if ever used for a bar-room or other immoral purposes. The government desires to purchase the lot from Grant for $8,500 if a clear title can be secured.

BOY VICTIM OF LEPROSY.

Student of Rhode Island School Isolated Boston Hospital.

Pawtucket, R. I., May 6.—Following the closing of the Darlington Grammar School yesterday, it was announced today that a boy suffering from a pronounced case of leprosy had been taken from the institution, which is attended by 500 children. The victim is Harry Sheridan, 17 years old, the son of Edward P. Sheridan, superintendent of a knitting mill here, and he is now isolated in a Boston hospital.

The school building has been thoroughly fumigated, but the authorities have not decided how soon it will be re-opened. How young Sheridan contracted the disease has not yet been determined.

London, May 6.—A letter received from Jerusalem states that the Moslem Sheik, the guardian of the Mosque of Omar, was given $25,000 to permit the explorers of the Anglo-American syndicate to excavate beneath the sacred rock upon which the Mosque stands. The Turkish governor, the writer says, received a far greater sum. The Moslems were so incensed that they threatened to lynch the Sheik.

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PEACE CONGRESS CLOSES.

Commercial Relationship Between Nations the Chief Topic.

Baltimore, May 6.—The peace movement in its relation to commerce and industry was considered by the speakers at the closing session today of the Third National Peace Congress.

"The close and more numerous the ties created between two nations by commercial relationship the greater, I think, will be the reluctance on the part of either to begin a war against each other," said John Ball Osborn, chief of the Bureau of Trade Relations of the State Department.

John Hays Hammond, America's special ambassador to the coronation of King George, of England, who presided over today's sessions, said that business men recognized the advantage in foreign trade of establishing amity among nations, and, therefore were heartily in sympathy with the efforts of President Taft and Secretary Knox to establish a permanent tribunal for the judicial settlement of international disputes.

Capt. C. C. Yates, of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, advocated the establishment of an international bureau for the defining of international boundaries in advance of disputes which might lead to war.

AS TO TILDEN ACCOUNTS.

Declares Illinois Senate Could Not Force Inspection.

Chicago, May 6.—Judge A. T. Petit, in the Circuit Court, today declared that the Illinois Senate could not force inspection of the private accounts of Edward Tilden. His decision having this effect was to uphold the writ of habeas corpus obtained by Tilden, G. W. Benedict and W. C. Cummings after they had been arrested on charges of contempt of the State Senate, in refusing to present the accounts of the Helm Committee, which is investigating the election of United States Senator Lorimer.

Tilden was named by Clarence Funk, of the International Harvester Company, as the person to whom he was directed to send a check for $10,000 to help repay a fund of $100,000, said to have been used in electing Senator Lorimer. Attorney John J. Healy representing the Helm Committee, was given ten days in which to file exceptions. He indicated that the case probably would be reviewed by the Appellate Court.

Judge Petit based his decision in large part on the promise that the whole proceedings before the Helm Committee were invalid.

RECOGNIZATION IN HEAVEN.

Virginia Governor Gives Out Statement on the Subject.

Richmond, Va., May 6.—Governor Hodges Mann, close reader and student of the Bible, deeply convinced of the truth of the doctrine in individual recognization in heaven, today gave out a statement which he says:

"When the soul of man passes through the portals of the grave and enters the higher life and the higher world, it does not lose its identity, but, leaving behind the limitations and clog of imperfect body, it is endowed with greater powers, which either spring at once into perfection or gradually grow to that perfection which must characterize all of the inhabitants of heaven.

"Leaving out the teachings of the Bible it follows that a man in heaven will have greater capacities than on earth and as he is at his best estate as a social being he will be able without doubt to recognize the Savious by whose blood and death he has been redeemed and the friends and relatives who, because of that same redemption, are with him in the heavenly world."

CONVICT GUARD SHOT TWO.

Restaurant Owner and Nephew Victims at Charleston.

Columbia, S. C., May 6.—Walter Sandifer, aged 22, was shot and instantly killed and Mrs. Cora Bersinger dangerously wounded in the latter's restaurant here this afternoon by Ernest Grimsley, a county convict guard, following a dispute over a bowl of soup. Sandifer was a nephew of Mrs. Bersinger.

BUSINESS LOCALS

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THE LUTHERAN SYNOD MEETS HERE THIS WEEK

(By Mamie Bays.)

The North Carolina Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church will be held in Wilmington during this week. This will be the 108th session of this body, and it will be held in St. Paul's church, beginning on Wednesday morning, of which church Rev. W. A. Snyder is pastor.

Much interest is felt throughout the State by the members of the Lutheran church, this Synod being a part of the oldest, and by far the largest, Protestant denomination in the world, an eminent German statistician estimating its numerical strength at 56,000,000. The strength of this church in the United States is often not fully realized, but its membership in this country alone is already more than 1,900,000, making it the third largest Protestant denomination.

The chief centers of Lutheran strength are in Germany, Sweden, Denmark, Norway, Finland, the Baltic Provinces, and the United States. There is no organically united Lutheran church in Germany, but it is estimated that of the 36,000,000 Protestants in the empire, constituting about two-thirds of the population, the vast majority are of the line and lineage of Luther. There are in Germany, but it is estimated that of the 36,000,000 Protestants in the empire constituting about two-thirds of the population, the vast majority are of the line and lineage of Luther. There are in Germany 37 different State churches in the 26 States, and a large proportion of these are Lutheran. The Lutherans include about 98 per cent. of the population of the Scandanavian countries also.

It was in 1623 that the first representatives of the Lutheran church came to the United States, and they did not come from Germany, as is often supposed, but from Holland, as a part of the Dutch colony, which in that year took possession of what is now the site of New York City. The tide of Lutheran immigration from Germany did not begin to flow strongly into this country until after 1708, and the work of the organization of the Lutheran church here did not take place until 1742, when Henry Meichior Muhlenburg, who was justly called the "patriarch of the American Lutheran church," arrived. The progress of the Lutheran church in the United States has been constant from its organization, and that same progress continues, with the promise that the 2,000,000 mark in membership will be reached within a very short time.

While it is true that the Lutheran church has its greatest strength in the countries already named, it is not by any means confined to these countries. The influence of this church has spread in Austria, Hungary, Holland, Roumania, Servia, Turkey, Italy, France, England, Scotland, India, China, Africa, Madaascer, Australia, and to different parts of South America. The missionary spirit has characterized the Lutheran church from its very beginning. In its very constitution it is missionary in spirit, and no church possesses history that is greater in purpose or grander in accomplishment. Luther never lost an opportunity to remind believers of the needs of the heathen and of the duty of carrying to them the gospel, because he was missionary in spirit. The importance of activity in Home Missions confronted the church very early in its history, while its first work in the interest of Foreign Missions, on a large scale, was not begun until Denmark became a maritime country, although Sweden, in 1559, had started a mission work among the Lapps. It was the Lutheran church in Denmark which inauguarted mission work in India, and Christian Frederick Schwartz, who is known as the "Patriarch of Lutheran Missions," and who went out in 1750, extended the work which he began in in India until it reaches into Trichinopoly, Tanjare, and Ceylon. The Lutheran church was the pioneer of Eastern missions and its work antedated that work of the English churches by about 200 years. The Lutheran church did pioneer work also in the circulation of the Scriptures, for the Canstein Bible Institute, of Halle, began this work fully a century before the oragnization of the British and Foreign Bible Society, and it was Zinzenbalg, a Lutheran, who translated the Bible into the Tamil language.

The missionary spirit of the Lutheran church in the United States also has lost none of its earnestness and vigor. Owing to the multitudes of people who come into the United States from Lutheran countries every year, the church in this country has had to face the responsibility and discharge the duty to Home Missions in an unusual degree, but the vast amount of mission work it has had to do at home, has not diminished its work in the foreign lands; it has kept the world-vision ever before it, and has not diminished its work in this connection.

The work of what is known as the "Inner Mission" is one of the most interesting and one of the most helpful features of mission work in the Lutheran church. The distinctive sphere of the work of the "Inner Mission" is among the children of the church who are wandering and needy. The work of the mission is to place a safeguard around those who are spiritually imperilled and to rescue the fallen. This mission uses in its work the method of distinct philanthropy.

Justification by faith alone is the central doctrine of Lutheran theology. It was this truth which burned itself into the soul of Luther, and as the result, he found conscious acceptance with God; it ever remained "the heart and soul of his teachings," and it "became the material principle of the great Reformation which he led."

The distinctive faith of the Lutheran church has as its symbol the Augsburg Confession, and this is its only catholic confession, and is the only confession which is regarded as binding in many Lutheran churches and countries, while in others the entire Book of Concord is taken as the confessional basis. The Lutheran church holds three ecumenical creeds, in common with other orthodox communions.

The Lutheran church, in the matter of policy, holds that the scripture presents "no specific form of government and discipline of Christ's church," but the universal priesthood of believers and the parity of the clergy are two principles in its policy which it always recognizes. The ministry is never regarded as an order, but always as an office, and the government of the church differs somewhat in different countries. The congregational form of government, fundamentally, prevails in the church in the United States, with the addition to presbyterial features. The local affairs of the church are managed by the council, which is generally composed of the pastor, elders, and deacons, the unit being the congregation.

Liberty in the usages of worship is allowed, but, historically, the Lutheran church has been liturical in practice. It is held to be, in the matter of cultus, "necessary that human traditions, rites, or ceremonies instituted by men should be alike everywhere," but for "the true unity of the church it is sufficient to agree concerning the doctrine of the gospel and the administration of the sacraments."

Catechization is one of the practices of the Lutheran church to which it owes a large degree of its success in its history, of which it well may be proud. This is the instruction of the young in the truths of Christian life and the duties which pertain to the same.

This church, which is the oldest in all Protestantism, with a history which reaches back before the days of the Reformation, has been rent in the past, and faces a future of equal greatness. The elements of the strength of the church have been expressed well by one writer in the following words: "Its loyalty to the word of God; its pure, scriptural theology; its flexible polity; its freedom to adapt itself to the demands of time and place; its ability to preach and teach in practically every tongue spoken in the land; its glorious history; the joyous character of its faith."

There has been much discussion indulged with reference to unifying the different bodies of the Lutheran church, but as yet no plan or unification has been found that has been regarded feasible. Rigor of confessional spirit and subscription, and, to some extent, at least, national differences, are the causes for the separation existing among the different bodies of the church. These different bodies are as follows: General Synod, organized in 1820, with 241,018 members; General Council, organized in 1867, with 399,943 members; United Synod of the South, organized in 1886, with 44,308 members, Synodical Conference, organized in 1872, with 597,973 members. Additional to these are 16 independent synods, with a combined membership of 585,393.

The Synod of North Carolina, according to its last published report, has a membership of 8,977, and, including members not as yet confirmed 11,385. One year ago there was reported to Synod a net gain of 619 members for the year just closed. The total membership of the Sunday Schools is 7,091.

The churches in the Synod of North Carolina are valued at $313,462 and the parsonaes at $5,350. Last year the total amount received for the various beneficences of the church in this Synod was $21,962.80, the increase over what was contributed the year before being $12,702.35. The amount contributed to all causes last year was $71,086.60, an increase of $24,644 over that of the year before.

The following named are the officers of Synod: President, Rev. V. Y. Boozer, Lexington; vice president, Rev. J. E. Shenk, Greensboro; secretary, Rev. H. A. McCullough, Albemarle; treasurer, Mr. J. D. Heilig, Salisbury.

The opening session of Synod will be held Wednesday morning.

Saved Child From Death.

"After our child had suffered from severe bronchial trouble for a year," wrote G. T. Richardson, of Richardson's Mills, Ala., "we feared it had consumption. It had a bad cough all the time. We tried many remedies without avail, and doctors' medicine seemed as useless. Finally we tried Dr. King's New Discovery and are pleased to say that one bottle effected a complete cure, and our child is again strong and healthy." For coughs, colds, hoarseness, lagrippe, asthma, croup and sore lungs it's the most infallible remedy that's made. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

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REV. W. A. SNYDER—Present Pastor.



REV. A. G. VOIGT, D. D.—Fifth Pastor.



Interior of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church Where the Synod's Sessions Are to be Held



REV. F. W. E. PESCHAU—Fourth Pastor.



REV. G. D. BERNHEIM, D. D.—Second Pastor.

THE HOOKWORM.

The Danger of Going Barefooted is Pointed Out by Board.

Raleigh, N. C., May 6.—As the season is now approaching when all children desire to go barefooted it is well that they should be warned that this pleasure does not come without danger. Until recent years we attached little importance to ground-itch, or toe-itch, so commonly seen among barefooted children who go about in the dew or other damp places. We now know that ground itch is the initial symptom of hookworm disease and that it would not develop unless the soil had been polluted by sufferers from the disease. The myriads of eggs passing daily along with the excreta from their bodies develop into tiny microscopic worms too small to be seen. These, when allowed to come in contact with the skin, burrow through, producing an attack of ground itch. The truth of this assertion can be easily proved by making a poultice of polluted soil and applying it for a few hours to some part of the body. Always at the site of such a poultice there develops the ground itch rash, if there be a sufficient number of worms entering the skin.

Moreover, it is known that about fifty days after the attack of ground itch the little worms that entered the skin will have found their way to the small intestine and there developed to a size sufficient for them to be easily seen with the naked eye.

They are nearly one-half inch in length. The medicine given to get rid of them, by acting as a poison, causes them to be expelled from the body. By washing the stools through cheese cloth they may be collected.

The harm they produce is now well recognized and does not require discussion at this time. Suffice it to say, that the blood is sapped, the body is stunted, the vitality lowered. Thus the life and happiness of those dearest to us may be blasted. It is now time everyone should know what is meant by ground itch, hookworm disease, polluted soil, and poor sanitary arrangements. Your State Board of Health will be glad to supply this information free to any one who will ask for it.

Freshly charged Prestolite gas tanks always on hand at The Gibbes Machinery Co., 111 Chesnut street. 4t

ONIONS IN TEXAS.

Crop Along Rio Grande Amounted to 1,143 Cars.

San Antonio, Texas, May 5.—Some notion of the vast onion crop grown along the Rio Grande river in Texas can be gathered from the fact that the Laredo district alone has shipped during the present harvest 1,143 cars. About two-thirds of the crop has been gathered, but the return, so far, has given to the onion farmers more than $1,000,000. Large shipments have been made from Cotulla, Asherton, Eagle Pass, Gardendae, and points in the Lower Rio Grande valley and on the gulf coast. Five years ago the land from which millions will be realized this year in Bermuda onion production was uncultivated cattle range. While the onion crop of Texas this year will almost double that of last year it will be short of expectation, from the fact that onions are not as large this season as last.

Pale, Delicate Women and Girls.

The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

AS TO AUTOMOBILE RACING

Touring the Real Value of the Motor Car—Early Appearance of the Speed Trap—Auto. Notes.

New York, N. Y., May 6.—With the opening of the automobile touring season and the reappearance of thousands of cars on the popular highways have come evidences of renewed activity on the part of local constables, as shown in the frequent reports of arrests for excessive speeding.

In the majority of cases the offenders are those to whom the pleasures of touring are of secondary importance. Their only thought is to drive their machines at the maximum speed rate whenever a level stretch of road opens up before them. Half a dozen of these speed maniacs can do more than anything else to revive the nuisance of speed traps and cause trouble to hundreds of motorists who believe in reasonable driving and a careful observance of the rights of others.

Reports recently received at the Touring Club of America, Broadway and 76th street, New York, indicate that this speed mania has already caused the re-establishment of local speed traps in many parts of Long Island, Westchester county, and the upper part of New York State, and the same policy of warning motorists of these nuisance spots will be adopted this year, as in previous seasons.

Where these traps are particularly obnoxious, scouts will be placed on Saturdays and Sundays, to give proper warning and, at the same time, to caution motorists to observe the rules of the road and all proper touring regulations on all parts of the higaway, and not only in particular places.

It is significant of the attitude regarding automobiling held by the majority of owners that, as a result of the recent discussion by some manufacturers on the subject of racing, many letters have been received by the Touring Club upholding the position of those who seek to minimize the importance of motor racing, placing the greatest importance upon the reliability of the every-day car to travel thousands of miles through all sorts of country and with the assurance of reaching the desired destination successfully.

As one writer remarked, in speaking of the so-called stock car races, the owner of a certain make of car which has figured successfully in a track contest, reeling off the miles at an average of somewhat under sixty seconds, is often induced by this very fact to utilize the public highways for his own racing ground in order to see if his fully equipped touring car can hit it up for a mile or two at the rate of 60 or 70 miles an hour. It is this type of a man who calls forth editorial utterances condemning all motorists and who bring speed traps into existence and local constables into activity.

These are the class of motorists that Justice Norris S. Barrett had in mind when, in charging the grand jury in Philadelphia a few days ago, said:

"Some owners and operators of automobiles seem to be under the impression that the highways were made for their individual use, and that if a citizen is injured he must not complain, even if it wasn't his fault. Mere fines do not seem to have had much effect upon this class of criminality. It may be a few months in the county prison would have the desired effect. Where human life is taken, the severity of the maximum penalty of the law would probably have a healthy effect in rooting out this growing evil."

The automobile manufacturers who are not afraid to condemn the racing fever realize thoroughly the opprobrium that all the attendant evils of the racing game bring upon the legitimate use of the motor car. They are fully alive to the fact that unless the speed mania is checked, drastic legislation will surely be enacted. Indeed, indications of this fact are already seen in several bills recently introduced into the legislatures of some of the Eastern States, toward curtailment, of the maximum speed limit now permitted on the highway.

The Touring Club of America while opposing undue discrimination against the motorist, recognizes the fact that he has the same rights, but no more, as every other user of the public roads, and has always advocated the endurance and reliability for long distance touring purposes as the greatest assets of the motor car. The increasing popularity of touring in America shows conclusively that the majority of automobile owners take this rational view of the motor vehicle.

While the Touring Club officers will carefully investigate in the interests of their members and all other motor travelers, reports of speed traps, providing wherever necessary, scouts to warn tourists of the existence of such nuisances, the point will not be lost sight of that motor tourists, being in great majority of motor car owners, really hold the destines of reasonable automobile use and legislation in their hands.

It Startled the World.

when the astounding claims were first made for Bucklen's Arnica Salve, but forty years of wonderful cures have proved them true, and everywhere it is now known as the best sale on earth for burns, boils, scalds, sores, cuts, bruises, sprains, swellings, eczema, chapped hands, fever sores and piles. Only 25c at R. R. Bellamy's.

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NORTHEAST RIVER BRIDGE

Residents at Castle Haynes Make Statement Relative to Location of New Structure Near There —Proposition.

Castle Haynes, N. C., April 29, 1911.

Editor Morning Star, Wilmington, N. C.

Dear Sir:—As residents of Castle Haynes and of your county, we are much interested in having the proposed bridge over the river near Castle Haynes put where the route will be of the greatest prmanent good to the community rather than where it will now best suit the interests of a few parties.

We do not believe that the public knows the facts about this matter, and that powerful efforts are now being made to put the bridge on the route which offers the least advantages. For the reason we would be glad to have you give space in your paper to this letter which gives such facts as we have been able to gather by diligent inquiry.

The site below the A. C. L. and to the west of the railroad the following points:

1. A route about 3-4 miles shorter from Wilmington to Rocky Point, as the road would actually be built.

2. The road would run the whole distance through land of good quality from Castle Haynes to Rocky Point.

3. Only one grade railroad crossing from Smith's Creek bridge to Rocky Point.

4. No heavy cuts or fills to be made.

5. Good grades and approaches to the bridge on both sides.

6. Probably no cost to the counties to secure the right of building the bridge.

7. A free route offered the entire distance and free site for the bridge.

The site at Blossom's Ferry and to the east of the railroad presents the following points:

1. A route about 3-4 miles longer from Wilmington to Rocky Point, as the road would run, using present macadam.

2. Route through practically worthless sandhill and swamp for about 2 miles of the distance between Castle Haynes and Rocky Point.

3. Three grade railroad crossings between Smith's Creek bridge and Rocky Point. The crossing at Castle Haynes, which would not be in the other route, being an especially inconvenient one as trains frequently obstruct the road.

4. A long and expensive fill across the swamp north of the river which would be expensive to maintain as well as build. Also, a heavy grade to be cut away for the approach on the Castle Haynes side. Also expensive construction through a long stretch of sand hill north of the river.

5. Probable necessity to buy the ferry franchise and site for the bridge.

In regard to the relative distance, parties interested in the crossing at Blossom's Ferry estimate a difference in distance against that route of only about 350 feet, but they arrive at this figure by shortening their route by removing curve in existing macadam and by adding to the other route about 1600 feet for a loop to the Castle Haynes depot from the main road and about 1600 feet for another loop from the main road to Marl-borough Crossing. Neither of these distances would be traveled by anyone going from Wilmington to Rocky Point, and they are added to make the alternate route appear longer than it really is.

We think that Wilmington ought to draw some trade from the north side of the Northeast river. That the land west of railroad in Pender county is more suitable for development, because it will be too expensive to raise it about 4 feet; and second, because it is too hard to keep it in good fix on account of swamp bottom, and the water in wet weather and by high tide eating sand road away. This road whenever made will, in our opinion be of not much account for heavy loads or eventually for street cars. We think Wilmington not only wants the bridge, but also good roads on both sides of bridge and especially short distance between connecting points. It is high time to make a bridge, talked about so long, and it is also very important not to spend between thirty and forty thousand dollars for not the absolute best route.

Rumor has it that some time ago when this matter was under consideration friends of the Blossom Ferry route in order to make as certain as possible that the county would make the collossal mistake of selecting their route, secured the building of nearly a mile of macadam road from the Castle Haynes depot to the city. They now use this road as an argument in favor of their site and claim that it would be wasted if the other route should be used. As a matter of fact this latter piece of road runs through good land and has its legitimate use in future, independent of its being made a part of the main highway into Pender county.

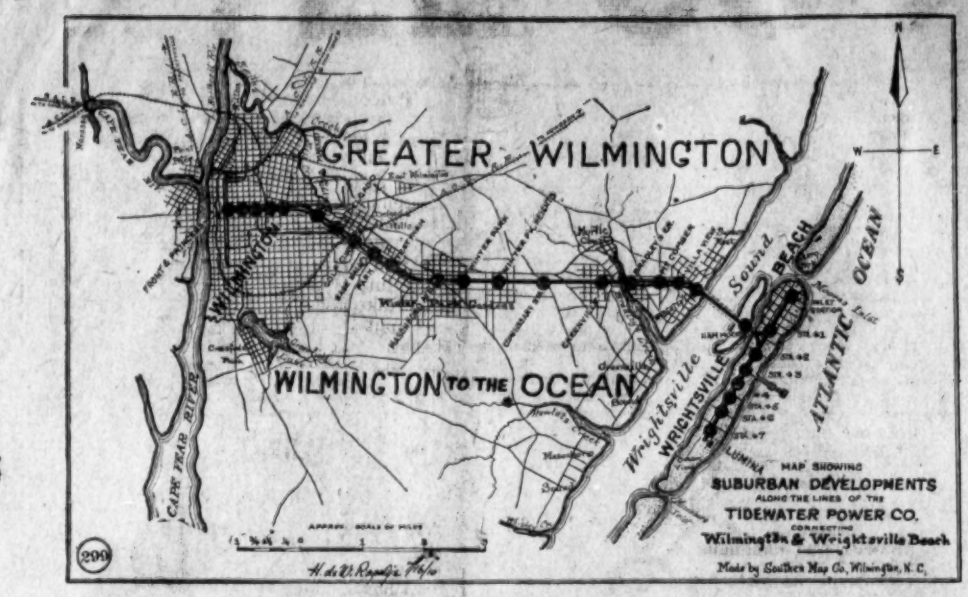
More recently an engineer was employed to report on the proposed bridge site. We understand that this report has been made sometime ago, but as no action appears to have been taken it looks as if his opinion favored the route below the railroad and that friends of the Blossom Ferry route are now blocking action.

It is hoped that those interested in the actual use of this road and citizens of influence will exert efforts to have their representatives, the County

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MYRTLE COURT

UP-TO-DATE WATER SYSTEM
SEWERAGE
TELEPHONE
ELECTRIC LIGHT
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No Crowding.

Sanitary Conditions.

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NORTHEAST RIVER BRIDGE

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Commissioners, decide on the route west of the railroad.

Yours respectfully

Balas Pushcash, R. Burke, Andy Kopas, Barta Benedek, Geo. Sandor, W. T. Simpson, Mike Kovocs, Gebar Sharka, Nicholas Calnen, C. L. Lundbiach, P. Lewandowski, W. S. Cooper, Herman Vogles, The Horticultural Co., J. Hondius, W. G. Baldwin, E. Sutfin, J. R. HMardee, W. Netreba, T. Mazur, The Holland Nurseries, H. VanNess, E. I. Tinga.

ANOTHER CENTENARIAN.

People Live to Ripe Old Age in Southwest Texas.

San Antonio, Texas, May 5.—With the death of Mrs. Ann Webb recently another person more than 100 years, and a resident of San Antonio has passed away. Within the past three years more than a half dozen people, whose ages were beyond the century mark from one to eight years, have died in this city, many of them having lived here for three-quarters of a century. Among these was Senora Candelaria, the one woman who was in the Alamo when its 84 defenders were massacred by Santa Ann's men. She delighted to talk of her experiences, particularly of the exciting time when she was caring for Bowie after he was wounded in the Alamo seige. She always insisted that the names of the four Mexicans, one of them being that of her husband, should be added to the list of the Alamo defenders. Senora Candeleria was an inveterate cigarette smoker and consumed great quantities of coffee, but notwithstanding this she retained all her faculties to the time of her death. It is maintained by those who have given attention to the matter that more people live beyond the century mark in this city than in any other city in the country. Residing here now are a half dozen or more whose ages are from two to five years above the hundred.

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GREATLY REDUCED RATES. ANNUAL REUNION, U. C. V. Little Rock, Ark., May 15th-18th.

Norfolk Southern Railroad will sell tickets to Little Rock, May 13, 14 and 15th via Raleigh or Goldsboro.

Following are the round-trip fares from points indicated:

Beaufort, N. C.	$22.95
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Reduced rates in same proportion from all stations on Norfolk Southern Railroad.

Final limit May 23rd, unless tickets extended by deposit at Little Rock. For complete information apply to any ticket agent, or address,

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ADVERTISING WILMINGTON.

Mr. H. H. Ford Makes Some Pertinent Suggestions on Subject.

Wilmington, N. C., April 28, 1911.
The Editor Morning Star, City.

"Dear Sir:—I am not one of the business men of this city, nor one of its property holders, but I am interested in the welfare and promotion of the city's interests, and I would like to offer a few suggestions as to the furthering of its growth and the making of a Southern metropolis.

We have heard and read much of the "Greater Wilmington," but I don't believe a reduction to final analysis has been made. In my opinion, it is this: Wilmington has something to sell—just as the clothing merchant has a certain line of suits to sell.

When the clothing merchant wants to sell a suit, he advertises that suit. And he advertises in the manner and in the medium most attractive to a prospective customer. But he does not insert an advertisement of general terms—merely a statement that he has suits to sell—he states that he has the celebrated Smith-Jones clothing, latest styles, etc., at prices ranging from $20 to $30, and so on.

Wilmington—if it is to grow—has something to sell; it has factory sites to sell, it has homes to sell, and it should advertise that fact.

A number of years ago—when the St. Louis Exposition was in progress—the city of Savannah did some advertising, and has been going it ever since. Thousands of booklets were printed, and were distributed at the Exposition, and by traveling salesmen going in and out of Savannah. This booklet contained cuts of the city, illustrations of the products grown on the soil contiguous to the city, it showed pictures of houses that were for sale at a certain price, with the exact location. It told of the needs of certain classes of industry, and how the raw material could be obtained. One man in far-off Australia sent the Mayor a check for a house and lot, and told him to get an option on a particular location for a business house. This is but one of the few examples.

The magazines of the country afford another avenue to the prospective Wilmingtonian. A quarter-page ad in one of these costs some money, but the multitude of readers must be considered. Some time ago, the city of Memphis had one advertisement in a leading weekly that cost for the one issue ome $6,000. Of course, it is not to be supposed that Wilmington is to be compared to the Tennessee metropolis, but the large amount is worth considering as evidence of the value of municipal publicity.

The leading metropolitan dailies are good mediums for such advertising. And, in this connection, there should be, as "Charity begins at home," advertising in the Wilmington papers of the busines of the city. I say this for the reason that local advertising is one of the indices to commercial activity. For example, if a man in Pittsburg is in the clothing business, and decides to make a change, he sees a copy of the Star, or the Dispatch, of Wilmington, and looks over the advertising columns. He comes to the conclusion that it would be a good town to open a clothing establishment in.

Another thing—while I am not connected with any of the commercial bodies here—it seems to me that it would be a good idea to have a permanent ad in the local papers saying that anyone desiring to ascertain data relative to an opening in Wilmington could address Mr. So-and-so.

I dislike to appear too verbose on such a matter, but I believe this is the key-note to a bigger Wilmington. It is simply a cold-blooded business proposition. if Wilmington doesn't advertise her goods, Charlotte, Greensboro, and these other Tar Heel towns will—and they'll beat Wilmington to it. HERBERT HILL FORD.

SCOTLAND COURT.

Several Convictions—Undertaker With Corpse on His Hands.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Laurinburg, N. C., May 5.—The May term of Superior court adjourned last night after four strenuous days of work. Judge Justice presided during the term. Among the interesting cases tried was that of Cethro Bostick, charged with robbing the Southern Express office at Gibson, N. C., of a large quantity of whiskey. The main circumstance presented by the State was that Bostick, an employe of the express company, entered with a key another door and did the breaking from the inside. The agents and other employes of the company swore that the breaking could not have been done in the manner in which it was done, from the outside. The defendants swore to the contrary and presented some corroborating facts all of which the jury disbelieved. The defendant's attorneys, upon a verdict of guilty by the jury, proceeded to Gibson in great haste and in the presence of a large crowd effected from the outside an entrance into the office of the company in the identical manner as the State contended it was done from the inside and could not be done from the outside. Judge Justice at once set the verdict aside and ordered a new trial.

The case of Herbert Lane, charged with highway robbery, was continued until the June term. Lane is charged with holding up Mr. G. F. Avinger, secretary and treasurer of the Dickson, Scotland & Waverly cotton mills, and robbing him of more than $900, which Mr. Avinger had in his possession for meeting a payroll at one of the mills. The hold-up was in the day time, but Lane, or the party committing the robbery, was heavily masked, so that the evidence will parly be circumstantial. Following tracks from the scene of the crime immediately after its commission, a mask and some old clothing were found under a bush in the woods, and Lane was soon afterwards found in the woods hunting without shells or dog.

In the case of Duck Jones, principal, Will Knight, Arch McNair and Odessa Forde, accessories, charged with the murder of Hood Dudley, the principal submitted to the crime of manslaughter and was sentenced to the State's prison for eight years. The ones charged with being accessories were discharged.

The remains of Vinzinzo Fernizo, the member of a carnival, who was murdered at McColl, S. C., about a week ago, is still in the hands of the undertaker at this place. The father of the dead man came here this week and agreed for the undertaker to hold the body until the expense of embalming was paid. The old man left and nothing has been heard from him since. Many applications have been made to the undertaker for the body.

The people of Laurinburg are delighted to know that ex-Governor R. B. Glenn will be here Thursday night and speak at the Presbyterian church.

READY FOR COMMENCEMENT.

Notes From Oak Ridge Institute—The Automobile College.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Oak Ridge, N. C., May 6.—Examinations are being held almost daily in some departments of the school. Students who have work to make up are getting ready for the finals this month.

Prof. E. F. Mayberry has gone to New Haven, where he has been farmed from Cleveland, and where he will play till recalled. He expected to rejoin the team May 3rd. He is a fine pitcher, and, withal a polished gentleman. The best wishes of the student body here go with him.

The graduating class literary department numbers about twenty-two. The shorthand and book-keeping will swell the list up to about fifty.

The catalogue of 1911-'12 has gone to the printer. It shows that the school is ten per cent larger this year than last. It will be the handsomest catalogue this school has ever issued, and will number about one hundred pages, with a wealth of illustration.

The baseball season just closed has been a very successful one. It shows that out of nine games played Oak Ridge has won seven—she has scored 65 to her opponents' 17. Davidson and the State Univeristy alone have defeated her.

The Southern Automobile College has installed more than one thousand dollars' worth of machinery. The enrollment during the first two weeks is 35. Several are expected next week. Some of the students are already going out to take positions at good wages.

A NOTRE DAME LADY'S APPEAL.

To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whether muscular or of the joints, sciatica, lumbago, backache, pains in the kidneys or neuralgia pains, to write to her for a home treatment which has repeatedly cured all of these tortures. She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers FREE. You cure yourself at home as thousands will testify—no change of climate being necessary. This simple discovery banishes uric acid from the blood, loosens the stiffened joints, purifies the blood, and brightens the eyes, giving elasticity and tone to the whole system. If the above interests you, for proof address Mrs. M. Summers, Box R, Notre Dame, Ind.

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NEW SOUTHERN INDUSTRIALS

Merger of Many Cotton Mills Included in Projects for Week as Reported to Manufacturers' Record—Creosoting Plant.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Baltimore, May 4.—The fourth one of the mergers of Southern cotton mills proposed since the first of the year was considered this week by a large number of hard-yarn spinners of North Carolina and South Carolina at a meeting at Charlotte, N. C., in which 400,000 spindles were represented.

The proposed merger looks to the organization of a corporation capitalized at $35,000,0000, including the stocks and bonds, to merge Southern mill companies operating about 1,000,000 spindles. At the Charlotte meeting it was decided to appoint committees to visit the various mills and to submit the merger proposition to directors of the company. Robert S. Reinhardt, of Lincolnton, N. C.; C. E. Barnwell and J. E. Sirrine, of Greenville, S. C.; Frank L. Underwood and Leonard Paulsen, of New York; Lockwod, Green & Co., of Boston, and others are leading in this movement.

Another corporation, the Woodside Cotton Mills Co., of Greenville, S. C., is being organized with a capital stock of $3,000,000 to consolidate 3 companies controlled by John S. Woodside and his associates, the Woodside Cotton Mills, of Greenville, the Fountain Inn Manufacturing Co., of Fountain Inn, S. C., and the Simpsonville Cotton Mills of Simpsonville, S. C., having an aggregate of 137,000 spindles and the accompanying looms. The Parker Cotton Mills Co., with a capitalization of $10,000,000 has already been formed, while another which is spoken of as the Pelzer Corporation, is expected to capitalize at $12,000,000. Among the other Southern industrial and developmental enterprises reported in this week's issue of the Manufacturers' Record are the following:

Judge D. B. Chapin, of Chapin, Texas, and associates were reported as planning an expenditure of about $4,000,000 to construct a dam across Levil's river for irrigating 200,000 acres of land near Del Rio in Val Verde county, Texas, and to build a waterpower electrical plant, developing 10,000 horse-power for transmission by electricity, etc.

Dauphin Island Railway & Harbor Co., Mobile, Ala., is preparing plans and specifications for its proposed trestle from Dauphin Island to Cedar Point, the cost to be about $420,000; steel construction with concrete and creosoted pile foundation.

The Atlantic Coast Line railway awarded contract for construction of its proposed plant to creosote lumber at Gainesville, Fla; annual capacity will be about 1,250,000 ties, or fewer ties and a large quantity of structual timber piling, etc., building to be of structural steel on concrete foundations, with corrugated iron sides and roof.

American Granite Co., Augusta, Ga., which incorporated recently with $600,000 capital stock of which $250,000 has been paid in, planning to develop over 100 acres of granite lands near Lithonia, Ga., and has options on additional acreage at Sparta, Ga., granite is of character largely used for paving and building purposes; Jacob Phinizy, W. F. Bowe and associates are organizing this company.

Pine Swamp Big Vein Coal Co., of Piedmont, W. Va., was incorporated with $600,000 capital stock to develop coal properties.

Bibb Sewer Pipe Co., Macon, Ga., awarded contract for erection of buildings for its plant to cover one acre of land; will install machinery for manufacturing sewer pipe and the complete plant is to cost about $100,000.

Company was organized at Hawkinsville, Ga., with capital stock of $50,000 to build a plant with an annual capacity of 100,000 tons of fertilizer.

F. J. Lewis Manufacturing Co., of Moline, Ill., plans constructing at North Birmingham, Ala., a plant to manufacture from the coke by-product ovens of the Woodward Iron Co., at Woodward, Ala., reports have stated the Lewis will cost about $25,000.

Clinchfield Coal Corporation, Spartanburg, S. C., awarded contract for 125-foot shaft lined with concrete, hoisting engines, electrical haulage equipment, etc., for coal mine at St. Paul, Va.

A glass bottle factory costing $50,000 and a window glass factory costing $90,000 will be constructed at Atlanta, Texas.

Wilmington Handle Co., of Wilmington, N. C., was incorporated with $125,000 capital stock to manufacture handles.

Charles Page, Tulsa, Okla., closed contract by which a Neodesha (Kansas) Company will establish a $200,000 lass plant near Tulsa.

Carolina Coast Line Company, of Newbern, N. C., was incorporated with $100,000 capital stock to develop deposits of marl, limestone. Pelham Phosphate Co., Pelham Ga., began the construction of plant to have an annual capacity of 15,000 ton of acid.

Gloucester Lumber Co., Rosman, N. C., will develop 20,000 acres of timber land purchased recently; plans to construct standard gauge railway, to build band saw mill, and later contemplates erecting tannic acid plant and pulp mill.

Erath Sugar Co., Erath, La., increased capital stock from $80,000 to $150,000 and will replace oil mill with large plant having daily capacity of 1,000 tons of sugar.

Bluefield Gas & Power Co., Bluefield, W. Va., completed organization and will build gas plant costing about $140,000.

With Senator Overman on the Female Suffrage Committee, and Representative Pou a member of the committee to investigate the Sugar Trust the sweet things appear to be coming North Carolina's way.—Raleigh News and Observer.

GOOD ROADS.

Young But Earnest Citizen Appeals to New Councilmen.

To the Editor of The Star.

Dear Sir:—I would like the space in your paper to say a few words in regards to good roads in our city and how I think would be an excellent idea to start building them. Now that election is over and we have five good, level-headed business men at the head of the good city, I would like to suggest a few things on good roads to them, and not tell them as others have been doing what a lawless town we have, and how many "blind tigers" there are, for we most emphatically have not such a lawless town, as doubtless a great many people think we have, but we may have a few "tigers," but as I am not a prohibitionist, I will not dwell on the whiskey question. In regards to road building, my idea is this: We have several hundred dollars on hand for good roads. This amount should be invested wisely as we have lots of space in the city to be covered, and the best of material should be used, not the present material, as past experience has shown us that it does not last very long, and when a dry spell comes with a little wind there is so much dust that it looks like the town was on fire, and is very disagreeable to pedestrians, besides making our prettiest homes have the appearance of being whitewashed instead of painted. I think it would be a good idea for the Councilmen who will have charge of the streets and roads to visit some of the larger towns in the North or South and interview the ones that have charge of building the streets and find out what material they use, what service it gives, the cost, etc., and even if it costs a little more and has to be shipped in here from other places, if it lasts and gives satisfaction, by all means buy it. And I think also that we should have a force of hands for street work that would do nothing but keep the streets in repair after they are once as they should be, and that there should be a law against digging up any street more than once a year for the purpose of running water pipes to different parts of the city, and such parts that have no water pipes, pipes should be laid before the streets are made.

These are only a few well meant suggestions from a young, but earnest citizen who hopes they will be received as meant, for the good of Wilmington. "GOOD ROADS."

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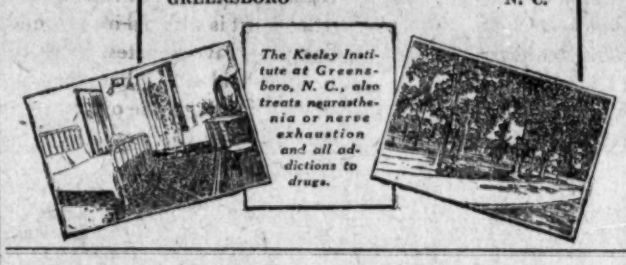
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Polvogt's Ten-Day Clearance Sale!

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Begins THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 11th

and ends Saturday, May 20th. Doors will open at 9 o'clock Thursday morning. Store will be closed May 10th to arrange stock and prices. Cold weather this Spring has caused our early Sprlng goods to remain on our shelves longer than we would like to see them. Now the story of our special sale.

Our entire stock of $75,000.00 Worth of Merchandise has been Marked at Reduced Prices, throughout our entire establishment. The sale will be for 10 DAYS ONLY, during which time we will give the people of Wilmington and surrounding counties the most wonderful bargains that we have ever offered them.

The Cold Weather during March and April has caused us to have on hand at this season of the year more merchandise than is wanted. Hence, this Great Reduction throughout our entire store.

Everything will have a Reduced Price Ticket on it.

To the First 25 Ladies Entering Our Store Thursday Morning we will sell them a Bleached Sheet, full size .....25c.
STORE OPENS AT 9 O'CLOCK.

To the First 25 Ladies Entering Our Store on Friday Morning we will sell them 10 yds. 15c flower-bordered Organdy for $1.
STORE OPENS AT 8:30 O'CLOCK.

To the First 25 Ladies Entering Our Store on Saturday Morning we will sell them a $3.50 Taffeta Silk Underskirt for $1.90.
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EXTRA HELP WANTED.
25 Salesladies; 10 Cashgirls; 5 Bundlewrappers; 1 Driver. Apply Monday and Tuesday Mornings.

Don't Miss this Great Sale. It is being conducted by ourselves in a clean and business-like way. Money refunded on every unsatisfactory purchase. Mail Orders Promptly Filled.

POLVOGT CO.'S SPECIAL LOW PRICES IN WASH GOODS DEPARTMENT.

One lot of Apron and Dress Ginghams; worth 8c; special at .....4½c.

1,000 yards Fine 12½c Dress Ginghams; Special Price .....9c.

15c Fine Cambric Percale; Special this sale.11c.

White Persian Lawn; worth 15c a yard; Special, this sale .....9½c.

Linen Crash Suitings; worth 50c; Special to close this sale .....23c.

15c Colored Linene, 36 inches wide; Special this sale .....9c.

White Linene and Killarney Suitings; worth 20c; at 11c

12½c Figured Colored Lawn for Summer Dresses; Special .....9c.

40 inch White Apron Lawn, worth 12½c; the May Clearance Price .....8c.

All the Best Standard Calicoes; worth 7c; Special Price .....5c.

Yard-wide 12½c Bleached Muslin; Special May Price .....8c.

White Waistings and Check Muslins; worth 15c and 20c; Special .....9c.

White and Colored Madras; worth 25c per yard; Sale Price .....19c.

Imported Side Band 40-inch Chambray; worth 35c; Sale Price .....19c.

Real Flaxon; worth 25c a yard; will be sold for .....18c.

Side Banded Flaxon; all colors; worth 25c; Sale Price .....18c.

Remnants of Silks at .....Half Price.

$1.25 Long Cloth, in 12-yard pieces; Sale Price $1.05

Drawn Linen Scarfs and Center Pieces; worth 35c; Sale Price .....22c.

Drawn Work Linen Pieces, Scarf and Center Pieces; worth 65c; Sale Price .....45c.

$4.00 Battenberg Center Pieces; Sale Price, each $2.89

LADIES' LAWN AND LINEN WAISTS.

Ladies' Lawn Embroidery and Lace-Trimmed Waists, $1.25; Sale Price .....89c.

Ladies' Tailored Waists, tucked fronts; value, $1.50; Sale Price $1.10

$1.50 Lace and Embroidery Trimmed Ladies' Waists; Sale Price $1.30

$2.00 Lace Batiste Waists; Special Sale Price $1.50

All-Linen Tailored Waists; $2.25 and $2.50; Sale Price $1.75

$3.00 Fine Linen Tailored Waists; Sale Price $2.35

Black $3.50 China Silk Waists $2.89

$4.00 Taffeta Waists; Sale Price $3.35

$1.25 Black Lawn Ladies' Waists; Sale Price $1.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR SALE OF LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S GARMENTS.

Not Flimsy or Shoddy Garments, but Good Material and Workmanship.

Ladies' Cambric Tucked and Ruffled Pants, 39c; this sale .....23c.

Ladies' 65c Pants, Lace and Embroidery Trimmed; this sale .....45c.

Children's Ruffled Cambric Drawers; Special Sale Price .....10c.

Children's Gowns, worth 75c; sale price .. .45c.

Ladies' Cambric Gowns, Embroidery Trimmed; worth 98c; Sale Price 75c

Ladies' Lace and Embroidery Trimmed Gowns, worth $1.00 and $1.10; Sale Price .....89c.

Ladies' $1.25 and $1.39 Gowns and Skirts; Fine Cambric .....98c.

Ladies' Cambric Skirts, Hemstitched, Ruffled; worth $1.00; Sale Price .....75c.

$1.25 Ladies' Combination Suits; Sale Price 95c.

$1.75 and $2.00 Gowns and Skirts, extra fine quality; Sale Price $1.39

$2.50 Fine Nainsook Gowns; neatly trimmed; Sale Price $1.89

Children's Gauze Vests; worth 15c; Special Sale, each .....5c.

12½c Ladies' Gauze Vests; this sale, each ..8c.

50c and 75c Ladies' Lace Hose; Special, this sale, per pair .....35c.

Ladies' All-Silk Boot-Hose; 50c value; Special Sale, ...3 Pair for $1.00

$1.25 All-Silk Hose, Black and All Colors; Special, at this sale .....98c.

50c Fine Gauze Ladies' Hose, Black or Tan; Sale Price .....39c.

25c Children's Bear Brand Black Hose; Special, this sale .....18c.

Ladies' White Linene Skirts, $1.00 and $1.25 values; Sale Price .....89c.

Three-Cord Neck Ruching; worth 15c; Sale Price .....10c.

10c values in Val. and Round-Thread Lace; Sale Price .....5c.

10c All-Linen Torchon Lace; Sale Price, per yard .....5c.

Platt Val. Lace Edges, worth 25c a yard; Special, a yard .....10c.

5c Val. Lace Edges and Insertions; Special this sale .....2c.

EMBROIDERIES AND LACES MARKED AT NEARLY HALF PRICE.

Wide Embroidery Flouncing, worth 50c and 75c per yard; this sale .....25c.

Wide Cambric Embroidery, for Underwear; worth 15c to 20c; this sale, for .....8c.

Medium Width Cambric Edge, worth 10c to 12c; this sale .....5c.

15c Heavy Cluny Lace, in White and Ecru; this sale .....7c.

Corsets at Less Than Half Price.

One lot Odd $1.00, $1.50 and $1.75 W.-B. and Kabo Corsets; this sale .....50c.

One lot Odd $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 Corsets; W.-B. and Kabo; this sale .....89c.

$5.00 Front-Lace Gossard Corsets; Special, this sale $2.50

Extra Long Corset, new style with hose supporters; this sale .....50c.

12-Button Length Tan Kid Gloves, worth $3.00; this sale, per pair $1.98

35c Chamoisette Gloves, all sizes; Special, this sale .....22c.

Extra quality Long Silk Gloves, in Black, White and Colors; this sale, only $1.00

Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 5c values; per dozen, only .....25c.

Ladies' 25c Hose Supporters; Special, this sale .....19c.

SILKS AND DRESS GOODS.

$1.50 Black Voiliron; yard $1.18

$1.25 Black Voile (Priestley's); yard ..$1.05

50c Black Mohairs; good quality; yard ..36c.

One lot Colored Dress Goods; regular 50c to 65c; all go for, per yard .....38c.

75c Satin Foulard, in all colors; yard .....48c.

50c Tussah Silks, in Street and Evening shades, at, per yard .....37½c.

39c Tussah Silks; all colors; per yard .....28c.

50c Silk Stripe Marquisette; all new shades; at per yard .....39c.

36-inch Black Messaline; good quality; per yard, only .....88c.

36-inch Black Messaline; worth $1.25 per yard; this sale .....95c.

$1.25 36-inch Black Warranted Taffeta; yd.95c.

36-inch Black Taffeta; good quality; yard ..79c.

35c Japonika Silk; yard .....23c.

New Spring Suits and Dresses for both street and evening wear, together with our immense stock of other ready-to-wear garments, will figure very large in this May Sale. We invite everyone to come and see the big reductions in this department.

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$20.00 French Pattern Hat; this sale for **$15.00**

$16.50 French Pattern Hat; this sale for **$12.00**

$12.50 Pattern Hats; this sale for **$8.00**

$6.00 Pattern Hats; this sale for **$4.00**

1.50 Sailors and Untrimmed Hats; this sale **$1.15**

Flowers, at One-Fourth Off; Trimmings, at One-Fourth Off; Plumes, at One-Fourth Off.

35c and 50c Fancy Ribbon, for Millinery or Hair Bows; Special, this sale .....25c.

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$6.00 and $5.00 Linene Coat Suits; Sale Price, per suit $3.00

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Half Price on Linen and Rep Dresses and Suits.
Worth $15.00 to $40.00, for Half their Value.

$3.50 Linene Dresses, in White and Colored; Special Sale Price $2.00

Ladies' Lawn Dressing Sacks; Butterfly Sleeves; worth 25c; Sale Price, each .....15c.

Children's 65c White Middy Blouses; Sale Price, only .....45c.

Ladies' $1.25 Middy Blouses; Colored Sailor Collar; Sale Price .....98c.

Children's Gingham Dresses, ready made; Sale Prices .....50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25

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You know we have the largest department of this kind in the State of North Carolina.

35c Fiber Matting; yard wide; Green, Blue, Red and Brown .....20c.

75c Matting Rugs, 3 by 6 feet; fine for Summer use .....42c.

Heavy China Matting; sold for 35c; will be sold this sale for .....25c.

Fine Japanese Matting, in good designs; Special, for this sale, only .....20c.

$30.00 Axminster Art Squares, 9x12 feet; Special Sale Price $22.50

$25.00 Axminster Art Squares, 9x12 feet; Special Sale Price $19.75

$12.50 Tapestry Brussels Art Squares, 9x12 feet; Sale Price $9.75

$5.00 Ingrain Art Squares, 9x9 feet; Special Sale Price $2.98

Velvet and Axminster Carpets, Room, Hall and Stairs Patterns; this sale, price $1.10

$1.50 Velvet Rugs; large enough for fire place; Sale Price, each $1.15

15c Figured Curtain Scrim; Sale Price ...10c.

$1.50 Lace Bobbinet Lace Curtains; Special Sale Price .....98c.

Final Spring Reduction on All Lace Curtains.

HOUSE FLY'S AUTOBIOGRAPHY

Dr. Wertenbaker Discusses Interestingly Some of the Dangers as Told in History of Development of the Pest.

By Dr. C. P. Wertenbaker, United States Public Health and Marine Hospital Service.

(Note.—The writer realizes that this is not a nice story, but the health lessons it teaches seem to justify its publication. Newspapers are invited to give it as much publicity as possible.)

I commenced my fly existence on a warm Spring morning. The egg from which I was hatched had been laid by my mother in a pile of nice stable manure the previous Fall, and by the next day had hatched into a maggot. Hundreds of us were hatched about the same time, and as the weather was growing cold we worked our way down into the earth and there lay sleeping all Winter. Had we been hatched in warm weather we would have developed into flies in 10 days.

As soon as the warm Spring days had come, and the gentle Spring rains had softened the earth, we aroused from our dormant condition, and commenced to squirm about looking for food. This we found in abundance in the manure pile, for of all places, there is none better than horse manure to feed a growing maggot.

We were a goodly company, and the manure pile, and the earth beneath seemed alive with us.

We led a carefree existence, like all young things, and our only idea was to eat, eat, eat, for even then we had the true fly instinct and were always hungry.

As a result of so much food suited to us we grew rapidly, and developed wonderfully. This careless existence lasted for about a week, when one morning I realized that something strange was taking place in me. I did not feel inclined to eat any breakfast; there seemed to be strange movements inside my body, I seemed to be swelling and swelling until I thought I would burst, and sure enough I felt a crack in my back, and I lost consciousness.

When my senses came back to me, I found I was no longer a maggot but a fly, and I was trying to crawl out of my old maggot body that lay quite dead. I struggled and pushed and finally managed to widen the crack in my old body and crawled out. I was so weak from my exertions, and so covered with some wet material that I could scarcely move. I lay there a long time in the sunshine getting my strength and drying off. As I dried the most remarkable things began to take place. I first noticed that I had legs, six of them, arranged in pairs, and I found I could move them. I found I could crawl, but with difficulty, because of the sticky stuff on them; my legs were covered with long hairs and everything seemed to stick to them. As I rested there in the sunshine gradually drying my body, I discovered that I had wings, something I had never dreamed of in my maggot existence. I first noticed that the tip of one of my wings was getting free, and as they dried off, more and more loosened, and I shook and shook the wing until it was finally free. I was much interested in waving it gently so as to dry it, and when it was thoroughly dry it was very beautiful. It had veins in it like a leaf, it was transparent, and had a beautiful irredescent sheen on it that caught the sunlight and reflected it in a most beautiful and bewildering manner. Soon my other wing got free, and by this time my body was nearly dry. I now found I could stand on my legs. I moved about slowly, and waved my beautiful new wings. I found that I was a fully grown fly. I crawled over the manure pile, but found that the long hairs on my legs were a great nuisance, they were all covered with a sticky material and collected particles of manure which impeded my progress and I had to stop frequently to clean them off.

There were hundreds of new flies on that pile of manure, and the fascinating smell that arose from it drove us wild with delight. We flew from one smelly place to another and ate and ate, only stopping to drink occasionally at a pool of liquid manure, that had drained from the large pile near by.

A soft, moist, balmy breeze from the South wafted new odors to me, and with a number of my companions I flew in the direction from which they came. We found much that men call filth, but which is very attractive to flies, a rotting cabbage, the dirt and litter swept from a house, now nicely soaked by the rain, and numerous other things that appeal to the taste of a fly. Flitting from one to another I had a most enjoyable time, with the exception that my feet would become clogged with the various materials on which I would alight or walk, and I had to stop constantly to clean it off. This I did by walking over some clean surface, and at every step I left some of it. I would also stand on four of my six legs, and rub the other two together, repeating this until all the legs had been cleaned. Of course, they never were really clean, but I would get off the greater part of the filth. However, they would soon become fouled again.

Soon I saw a number of my companions fly off in the direction of the dwelling house, and I followed. We flew to the back porch where the sun shone warm, and had a great time playing games, flying around in the air chasing each other, and crawling over the floor and walls. Here it was that I met my first husband. He was a most fascinating fellow, and we were attracted to each other at once. He asked me to marry him, and I did so. Then we flew to a garbage pile ad found a great assortment of food. This pail had not been emptied for several days and things were beginning to smell most delightfully for a fly. After feasting on rotten bananas, scraps of mutton chops, bits of pie, coffee grounds, tea leaves, and other dainties that go to make up garbage, and getting a lot of it on my feet and legs, the kitchen door of the next house opened and a lot of new odors came out. There was a rush of flies to get in, but by the time I got there the door had closed. I crawled around the cracks in the door trying to get in, but could not do so. I was about to go off elsewhere when the door opened, and the cook propped it open with a brick, saying: "It is too hot in here with the door closed." How we flies rejoiced, and a number of us rushed in and walked over the food that was being prepared. In this way I got my feet and legs quite clear of the typhoid material, and stuff I had collected at the garbage can. I left quite a trail of it on tthe top of a nice brown roll. I walked around in long curves, and left quite an artistic decoration on the brown crust, but I doubt if the person who eats it will ever see it, for these humans are very blind and seldom see things, even though they are just before their eyes.

After tiring of the kitchen my husband and I flew out of the door and into the street. A wagon was passing at the time, so my husband suggested that we take a ride. We got in the wagon and rode a long distance, we crawled over the wagon, and driver, and finally flew over to the horse, and crawled over his back and ears. We had great fun tickling the horse. How he would switch at us with his tail, but we could always see it coming and get out of the way. I wonder what the poor horses do to keep the flies from them when their tails have been docked. The flies that settle on them must have a good time.

The crack of the driver's whip close to us caused us to fly away from the horse, and we settled on an iron fence before a handsome residence, fully two miles away from where we started. Cooking was evidently going on in the kitchen so we concluded that we might as well have something to eat. We followed the odors, but when we got to the kitchen we found, to our intense disgust, that the doors and windows were all screened, and it was impossible to get in. In the meantime, the most appetizing odors were coming from the open windows through the screen. I was simply ravenous, as it had been an hour since I had eaten anything but the bits I had picked up on the horse.

We searched in vain for an opening, and then I thought of the garbage can. We soon found it in the corner of the fence in the yard, in a shady place, but again we were to be disappointed for the cover was tightly closed and the outside of the can was clean. We flew to the top of the close fence that separated the yard from that of the next house. In the next yard there was a garbage can, but the cover was off and we had a feast, and here again got my feet and legs filled with the soft part of the garbage, to say nothing of the remains from the closet and manure pile, still on my legs, I was quite uncomfortable.

This house was also screened, but someone had been careless and we found a crack beneath one of the screens in an upstairs window and thus got into the house. We found we were in a bed room and in one corner of it a baby was sleeping in a cradle. There was a mosquito net on the cradle but some one had forgotten to pull it down, so my husband and I crawled all over that baby's lips and face, and cleaned our feet nicely. I heard later than this baby was very ill with Summer complaint. I wonder why? I heard the mother say to a visitor, "Yes, we take every precaution with baby."

After exploring all the upper parts of the house, we followed our noses, and they led us to the dining room. We were having a great time running over and specking the polished mahogany table; flying up to chandelier and specking the clean globes, and in general enjoying ourselves, entirely unconscious of danger, and yet within a few moments I was struggling for my life.

It happened in this way. The table was being prepared for a meal, and a pitcher of milk had been put down with no cover on it. My husband and I had several times drank of it and dabbled our front feet in it and were sitting on the edge of the pitcher laughing and playing. We were trying to see which of us could fly quickest. I would give the word and both would fly up as quickly as possible. We had done this several times, and then I gave the word again; we both flew up suddenly, going very rapidly, when we collided, and I fell right into the pitcher of milk. I was never so surprised in my life; fortunately my wings kept me afloat, and only my body and legs were in the milk. I struggled desperately and reached the edge of the pitcher, and after efforts that almost exhausted me, I got out, but it was a long time before I dried off. When I was dry I found that my milk bath had done one good thing, it had washed all the stuff from my legs and body that had collected there in the morning. I have since heard that milk is one of the best culture materials for germs. Then that milk certainly had more than its share of germs.

This was not the only time that my life was in danger on this day.

After the episode of the milk my husband and I sat out on a fence in the sushine for a long time until I regained my composure, as it was a great shock to me to fall into that milk, as the reader can well imagine.

Finally, when I felt well again we visited several back yards, chatted with a number of other flies, dodged several birds and spiders, and was nearly caught by a thousand legs, in some sections called "earwig," a harmless creature except to flies. We at last came to one of those screened houses, and I told my husband that I was just dying to see what was inside. We tried to find some opening but without avail. It seems that this house belonged to an old doctor who knew all about flies, and he says they are the vilest, filthiest things alive. The very idea, he must be crazy! Well he sees to it that flies do not get into his house if he can help it. When I found that I was barred at every point, being a female, I determined I would get in, and I did.

I waited near the screen door, and when it was opened I slipped through, but found the house door closed before I could get in. I waited on the house door until it was opened and in I flew, mighty proud that I had outwitted this old doctor who thinks himself so smart.

I found the interior of the house cool and dark, and entirely too clean to suit me. Actually, there seemed to be nothing to eat. I flew around the room several times and was trying to get out at the window, as there was nothing of interest inside, when suddenly there was the greatest commotion I ever heard. A middle aged woman, probably the doctor's wife, came in and saw me trying to get out at the window. If she had only opened the window I would have gone out quietly, but instead of that she let out a shriek that could be heard all over the house.

"There is a fly in the house," she cried. "Mary, bring the fly killer, quick." I realized my danger, and buzzed frantically to get out, but it was of no use. The old doctor came in from another room armed with a newspaper. Mary came with the "fly killer," a villainous thing made of wires, arranged like a fan at the end of a short stick. This she gave to the doctor's wife, who struck at me a number of times, but I managed to dodge the blows, and flew to another window. Here the old doctor attacked me and I thought I would never escape. I finally slipped under his paper, and flew up to the ceiling and got into the darkest corner. I was in a perfect panic, and my exertions had left me so weak I could scarcely move. In the meantime the doctor's daughter and his son, a boy of 12, attracted by the noise, came into the room from upstairs. They all joined in the search for me. If I had been a venomous snake they could not have been more malignant in their determination to kill me. They hunted high and low, they looked in all the dark corners, under the furniture, back of the pictures, everywhere but in my dark corner near the ceiling. "That fly must be found and killed, and the body burned, said the doctor. "Flies are the dirtiest creatures in the world; they carry all kinds of filth on their feet and legs, as well as germs in their bodies. Their specks often contain the germs of typhoid fever, tuberculosis, cholera, diarrhoea, and many other diseases. I never see a fly without wishing to ask: 'Have you wiped your feet?'" Though I know he hasn't if we had no flies we would have but little typhoid."

"Professor Howard, the Entomologist of the United States Department of Agriculture, has proposed that the common house fly be called 'typhoid fly' to indicate the part it plays in spreading typhoid fever."

It was in this strain the old doctor talked while they were hunting for me. If what he says is really true, I can understand why he wishes to kill me, but I can tell him this, the fly does not carry germs of disease intentionally. It is not the fault of the fly that its legs and feet are so constructed that filth of all kinds stick to them. It is a great inconvenience to the fly, and if we could prevent it we would do so.

But I had digressed. The doctor and his family were busily hunting for me and, watching them from my dark corner, I began to get back my breath and strength. They had not found me for so long I began to hope that they would not see me, but I had not reckoned on the sharp eyes of the twelve year old boy. I always did hate boys, and I do not love them more on account of what now occurred.

No sooner than he had spied me then he cried, "There he is," and snatching the fly killer from his mother's hand, he sprang on a chair and struck at me. The blow came so quickly from the rear that I did not have time to dodge. Had it not been that the wires struck the ceiling and disarranged his aim, this autobiography would never have been written. As it was, one of the wires struck my middle foot, damaging it badly, and it has never been the same since; another wire struck me a glancing blow on the head and I fell dizzily. Unconsciously I spread my wings and was carried under a piece of heavy furniture, and there in the darkness I escaped further observation, and finally they gave up the search, under the belief that I had been killed. I remained under the piece of furniture nursing my aching head, until the next morning, and when the maid was cleaning the room she opened the window for a moment, and I escaped.

For several days I kept very quiet in a crack under the eaves of the house, until I had recovered from my injuries.

I never saw my first husband again after I went into the doctor's house. I suppose he was killed.

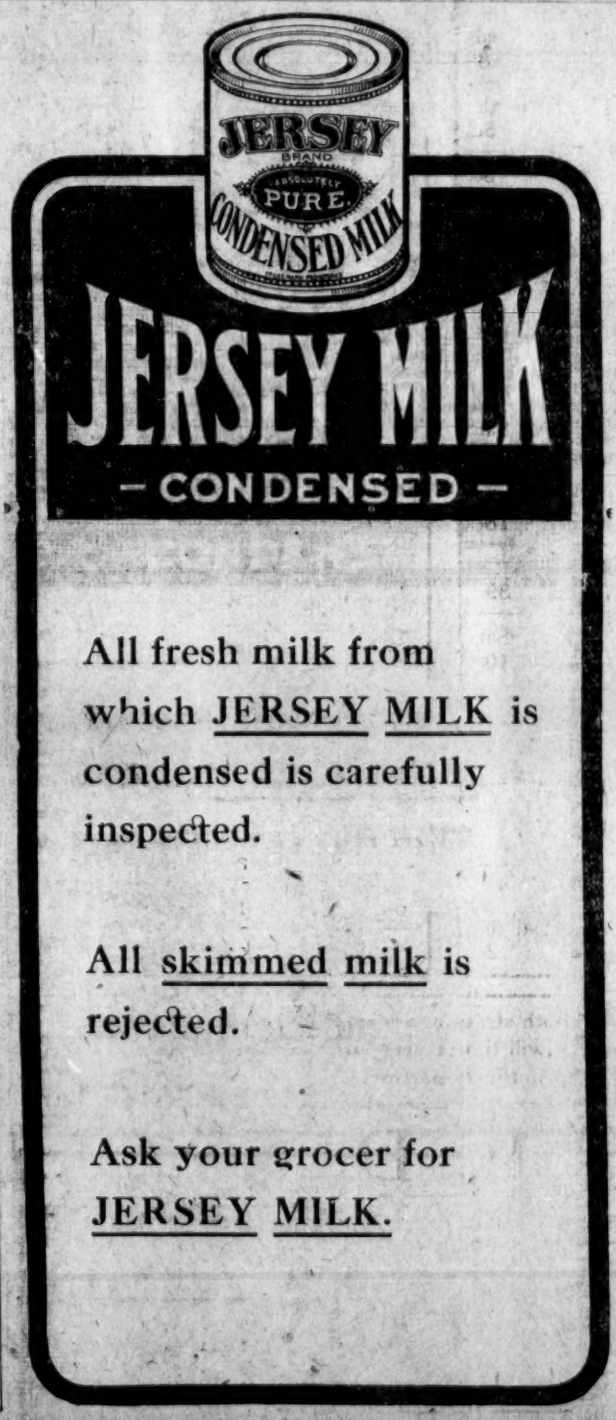
I now resumed my normal life and joined the flies I met in the garbage cans and elsewhere, and many were the excursions we had. I had been a widow but a short time when I met my second husband. He was considerable older than I was, with a good deal of experience, and he told me a great many interesting things. He pointed out to me other flies that are entirely distinct from us. We are the common house fly (musca domestica), and we have no social relations with these other flies, though we may be often found feeding together. We house flies never bite, because we have nothing to bite with. Our mouths are spread for sucking up liquid substances. There is a fly called the stable fly that closely resembles us, that does bite, and we house fly ets the credit or discredit for it. There are no less than a dozen different kinds of flies, but with the exception of the big blue bottle fly, nearly everybody thinks they are all house flies.

My husband knew the city very well, and we made numerous excursions. One day we went on a Sunday School picnic. We were near the water and had one on board a steamer lying nearby to get our breakfast; before we had finished the boat had sailed, carrying us along. The picnic was held on an island in the river 20 miles from the city. We flew about the island, had lunch with the people, and came back on the boat by moonlight. Another day we boarded a fast train and went up to the mountains, and got off in a small village; we remained here several days, but as the nights were so much colder than we had been accustomed to we got on a freight train and came to a village lower down.

At present we are very comfortably quartered near a stable, where we find all the food we wish, and I find the manure pile an excellent place to lay eggs. I laid about 120 this morning, and in ten days I will have a large and flourishing family.

I think we will remain in this village. The manure heaps are unscreened; there are no sewers, but old-fashioned, unscreened garden closets, and lots of typhoid fever. The streets and backyards are never cleaned; the houses are all open, and we can go where we please at all tiems. We take our meals from the garbage cans, and the tables of the best people, and "fly-killers" are unknown. Yes! We think we will remain here.

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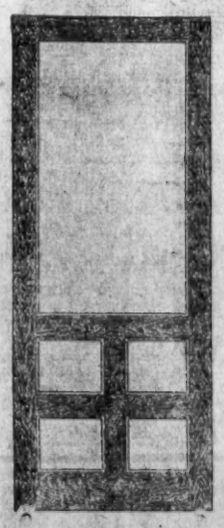
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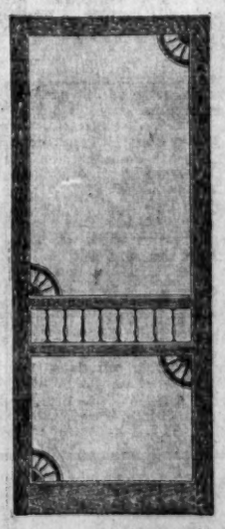
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UNDER THE CAPITOL DOME

"Red Buck" Relates Some Incidents of Life at Washington and Curious Things That Appear to the Newspaper Folks.

(By H. E. C. Bryant.)

Washington, D. C., May 6.—The debate on the Farmers' Free List bill was not as spirited as I imagined it would be. The truth is, barring the speeches of one or two men, the discussion was very rangy, covering everything from a cat fight to a religious revival. The statesmen seized the opportunity to deal out campaign thunder. All sorts of political orations were delivered.

Chairman Underwood, the Democrat with a fixed purpose, is the only one thoroughly interested in the bill. He gave his views the day it was brought up for consideration. He was followed by Mr. Norris, of Nebraska, who devoted two hours to the coffee trust without as much as referring to the free list bill. But, nevertheless, the Congressmen have given the boys back home much food for thought. The States will be flooded with speeches, all of which will be punctuated with "applause from the Democratic," or "Republican side." One thing about the staid old Congressional Record, it is liberal in its applause. I have read speeches bearing "great applause," marks, when I knew they were not delivered in the House.

Victor Murdock, of Kansas, would stop this and have the Record tell the truth. "I would make it a transcript of what actually takes place on the floor of the House," he said, "I would apply the pure food law to it." "The Record is under impeachment by the public."

But, if the Representatives did not have leave to print, the people in the districts would miss some of the eloquence they now get.

Washington is the home of all sorts and conditions of men. One of the most interesting characters that I meet is the fellow who writes speches for Congressmen. He can make an oration to order, adding the applause and all, for the paltry sum of $25. The one-gallus fellow, at the cross roads store, may wonder when his Representative became such a speaker, and so well informed but he will never dream the truth. It is part of a Washington newspaper man's life to see everything, but he is not compelled to print all that he gathers. He learns and learns and smiles and smiles.

The wisest people here are confidential secretaries and stenographers to Congressmen. If some of the bright, clever, observant young women, who work in the Senate or House office building would write a book, telling of their experiences, the world would laugh itself to hysterics. One sprightly damsel, with the cunning of a fox and the eye of a hawk, went from Washington to a Southern city to visit a kinsman. While in the South she attended a social function, where she met a United States Senator and his family. Of course, she had known the Senator by sight before, and had been introduced, but the Senator did not recall her. In the course of sixty days Congress met and the Southern statesman returned to the Capitol. The girl had preceded him and resumed her labors. Being modest and timid she did not speak to the Senator she met in Dixie until he gave her a straight look in the eye on F street one afternoon.

"How are you Senator?" she said on that occasion.

"Fine little lady, how are you this time?" was the response.

A cordial handshake and an invitation to have something to drink at a nearby soda fountain followed. At first the girl thought the Senator recognized her but soon she began to doubt, for he drifted into a conversation about a dreadful lonesomeness that had settled upon him. Step by step he went forward and went forward until the girl said sharply:

"I don't believe you remember me, Senator?"

"Of course, I do little darling," was his reply.

"No, I am sure you do not recall that you met me at Mrs. So and So's in .....town two months ago."

The finest bit of back-pedaling ever pulled off in Washington was done by the dignified Southerner when it all came to his mind. He was "just joking." The girl laughed as she had laughed before and has laughed since.

Martin Littleton, a brilliant Congressman from New York, has been rejected by the Metropolitan Club of Washington. His treatment gives another side of Washington life. The city is full of social circles. The Metropolitan harbors one. Mr. Littleton is not broken hearted over the fall. In discussing it he said:

"Every social club in the world has a right with or without any reason to determine who shall become a member and every man whose name is put before the club knows this to be the rule. If for any reason he is not promptly accepted he ought simply to take it as the exercise of the perfect right and privilege of the club not to do so.

"So far as the particular circumstances of this case are concerned, all I know is that a friend of mine in New York urged me to allow him to put my name before this club. I finally yielded to the suggestion and thereafter paid no attention to it. In fact, I forgot all about the incident.

"I was told that under a technical rule I must go before a certain member of the board of governors, which I did. The next thing I knew the suggestion was made that I had not been elected, at the next meeting of the board and my friends withdrew my name, the understanding being that the withdrawal sould not be prejudicial in any way. This is the extent of my information, and I know nothing more about the affair. Any further information regarding the whys and wherefores must be obtained from the club itself."

Representative Berger, Socialist of Wisconsin, would abolish everything here except the House and the press gallery, both of which he likes. The House pays him off, and the press gallery sends out his stuff. One of his recent resolutions follows:

"Whereas, though the tendency in virtually all civilized nations during the last century has been a constant weakening of the power of the executive, the judicial and the secondary legislative branches of government, and the lodging of sovereign power in a single chamber elected by the peoplet, yet in the United States this natural tendency has been constantly thwarted by interests inimical to the public welfare who have brought about an extension of the powers of the executive and the judicial branches and the Senate; and

"Whereas, these various checks upon the power of the popular representative body have prevented a normal development of American institutions and the enactment of laws in accord with the changing needs of the people—a fact evidenced in the extreme backwardness of the United States with regard to every form of protective social legislation and the institutions of social service; and

"Whereas, the Senate in particular has become an obstruction and useless body, a menace to the liberties of the people and an obstacle to social growth; a body many of the members of which are the representative neither of a State nor of its people, but solely of certain predatory combinations, and a body which by reason of the corruption often attending the election of its members, has furnished the gravest public scandals in the history of the nation; and

"Whereas, the instinctive conservatism of the people, as repeatedly proved in all nations, would here prove, when operating through the referendum, a sufficient check upon such radical innovations or violent changes as might possibly be attempted by a popular representative body; therefore be it

"Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled (two-thirds of each House concurring therein), That the following article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which, when ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several States, shall be valid to all intents and purposes as a part of the Constitution:

ARTICLE XVIII.

"Sec. 1. All legislative powers shall be vested in the House of Representatives. Its enactments, subject to referendum hereinafter provided for, shall be the supreme law, and the President sha.. have no power to veto them, nor shall any court have the power to invalidate them.

"Sec. 2. All provisions in the Constitution relating to the Senate are hereby annulled, and the duties, rights and privileges heretofore vested in the Senate shall, to the degree and extent determined by the House of Representatives, be vested in the said House of Representatives; and the House of Representatives shall have power to enact all necessary measures to vest these duties, rights and privileges in itself.

"Sec. 3. Upon petition of 5 per cent. of the qualified voters for members of the lower Houses of the State Legislatures in each of the three-fourths of the States, filed within 90 days after the passage of a law by the House of Representatives, such law shall be submitted to a general referendum; and if such law receives a majority of all votes cast at such referendum it shall be in effect, but if it fails of a majority it must be null and void."

And Mr. Berger is one of our leading Whereasers. The whereas delights him.

William F. Murray, 29 years old, a boyish looking Democratic member from Massachusetts, was strolling about the House one morning. Representative Sulzer, of New York, taking him for a page, touched him on the shoulder and said: "Young man, go and get me a copy of the report on the Farmers' Free List bill."

Congressman Murray looked around, saw whom it was, and walked out. Soon he returned bringing the report, and on delivering it to Mr. Sulzer said: "Bill, hereafter, it will be 'Mr. Murray, of Massachusetts'."

Mr. Murray is one of the most forceful speakers in the House. He is well educated and capable.

Representative George, Democrat and free trader of New York, excites curiosity here. He declared in a speech that the time would come when there would be no tariff.

"I come with the mandate of a great constituency to help to reduce the cost of living," said Mr. George. "I represent a district that is largely Republican, but I am a Democrat. My election was brought about by the votes of thousands of Republicans.

"The great protectionists, Blaine and Sherman, said that the tariff wall would bring increased prices, then more factories, competition and lower prices, and ultimately free trade.

"But great combinations came and stopped competition, and put up prices.

"Recently I was in Canada. The people there are like our people. The only thing that separates us is the humbug tariff. All that we need is an opportunity to exchange products freely.

"I look for the time when there will be no tariff, but perfect freedom of trade between all countries. I was elected as an absolute free trader. I stand not with the Democrats because they believe in free trade, but because they are tending that way. I have no fear for American labor in competition with foreign labor. The American can produce more dollar for dollar. Brain power is mixed with our labor.

"What we need is more courage. I beg my fellow Democrats not to be afraid. The high cost of living is the greatest of all questions confronting us. New York, the greatest of our great cities, reveals to us the gauntest poverty. In this country we have conditions of poverty that are unbelievable. Ten per cent. of the people who die in two New York wards are buried in the patter's field.

"It is my sincere hope that the whole tariff swindle will tumble down. We have the greatest possibilities, the greatest resources, and the greatest people, and I believe bfore a great while we will fight out the problem of free trade. The nations of the earth will come together when free trade wins. There will no longer be a question about what this or that nation will do to us."

As Mr. George spoke the members gathered close about him and the people leaned over in the galleries to catch every word. He is a tiny man and has profited by being the son of a great single tax advocate, Henry George. He looks like Eugene A. Holton, of North Carolina. He and the Tar Heel would make a good pair as far as appearances count.

OPEN AT WASHINGTON.

Touring Clubs Selects National Capital for First Branch.

New York, N. Y., May 6.—The first branch office of the Touring Club of America has been established in the National Capital. Rooms have been secured in the Colorado Building at Washington, D. C., and they were formally opened today (Saturday) in charge of LeRoy Mark as manager of the branch.

Mr. Mark is well known, not only to motorists in Washington, but also through the surrounding territory, as he has toured extensively and is well acquainted with road conditions and touring facilities on the routes to all the important places outside of Washington. Mr. Mark was one of the founders of the Automobile Club of Washington and its secretary for several years, and is now vice president of the club. His familiarity with touring conditions in the vicinity of the capital will be great aid to out of town motorists visiting Washington, as he will be able to give them accurate information at once regarding their contemplated tours, and as he is the Commissioner in the District of Columbia for the issuing of the Maryland State license, those who propose to tour Maryland can obtain their license numbers at the Touring Club Branch, where may also be procured licenses for the State of New Jersey.

Secretary Frederick H. Elliott, of the Touring Club of America, left for Washington on Friday to be present at the opening of the Washington headquarters and will be a guest at the smoker to be given by the Automobile Club of Washington on Saturday evening.

The establishment of a branch in Washington is the result of a large number of requests received at the main office of the Touring Club, Broadway and 76th street, New Yark, from motorists residing in the District of Columbia, Virginia and Maryland, the territory which will be covered by the Washington branch, that such an office be opened there with a view to stimulating local touring.

The Touring Club includes among its members many prominent residents of the National Capital, among them being Vice President James S. Sherman, Logan Waller Page, Director U. S. Office of Public Roads, Representative William H. Wiley, Simon Kann, Harrington Mills, J. M. Stoddard, H. S. Legare and W. H. Moses.

Arrangements have been practically concluded to establish branches in Chicago, Boston and other cities within a fortnight—the opening of these offices being in keeping with the policy of the Touring Club of America to encourage in every possible way automobile touring and to furnish to motorists every opportunity for acquiring up-to-date information regarding roads and accommodations. It is the only organization in the country that has adopted a definite policy of establishing branch offices devoted solely to the encouragement o. touring.

The efforts of the Touring Club are not confined to American touring conditions alone, but through its foreign affiliations with the Automobile Association of London, Touring Club of France, the Touring Club of Italy and similar organizations on the continent, it is enabled to supplly its members and others contemplating a foreign tour with definite information regarding the shipment of cars, securing of registration licenses in different countries and the furnishing of road maps in addition to all other details on foreign automobile travel.

SOUTHERN DAIRYING.

Interesting Report of Bureau of Industry Just Been Issued.

The last report of the Bureau of Animal Industry contains this:

A new feature of the work in the South was the holding of two dairy schools (one week session), one at Newton and the other at Dana, N. C. At Newton there was an average daily attendance of 50 persons, at Dana of 30 persons.

These schools are conducted on the following plan: A small building or a portion of a building was secured, in which was placed enough hand machinery to conduct the entire work of a farm dairy. Separating, churning and testing were performed during the forenoon of each day, beginning at 8 o'clock. The afternoons and evenings were devoted to lectures, and these were so planned as to cover the most important questions that the beginner in dairying in these localities needs to understand. These schools have not been conducted for a sufficient length of time to warrant definite conclusions as to their merits, but from the results so far obtained they seem to offer an effective means for teaching dairying, particularly in communities where it is undeveloped and where farm butter making must to a large extent be practiced.

Plans are being made to conduct 15 more such schools during the coming year. As an outcome from these two schools a farm dairy butter contest was organized. Each competitor sends to the agricultural colege 1 pound of butter on a certain day in each month for twelve consecutive months. This butter is scored by the dairyman at the college, and letters of criticism are sent to the maker of each sample. Prizes as provided by the State Department of Agriculture.

Assistance was given by the field men at nine fairs. At each of them a butter contest was held, and at seven of them model dairies were operated. A small exhibit was made of plans of farm dairy buildings, and publications on various dairy subjects were distributed.

All the work in the Southern States has been done with the hearty co-operation of the State institutions, and these institutions are showing their approval of the work by increasing their assistance. In North Carolina Carolina the State Department of Agriculture has provided $2,850 to supplement the work for the present fiscal year. The State of Georgia has provided $600 for the work, Mississippi has proveded about $800 or $,000, South Carolina has provided $600 and Tennessee is expected to provide funds for the work in the near future.

For three years work has been carried on in co-operation with State authorities for the development and improvement of the dairy industry in the South, and this work is already showing valuable practical results. The South consumes a much larger quantity of dairy products than it produces, yet it has fine natural advantages for a profitable dairy industry and should be able to produce a surplus. While much is needed in the way of a better class of cattle, improved methods, and more home-grown feed, the development of the dairy industry in the South is largely dependent upon the eradication of the cattle ticks, for which the Bureau is also working.

RAIN ON THE BORDER.

Troops Have Suffered No Little From Deluge.

San Antonio, Texas, May 6.—General Carter and the men in his command are fully convinced that the geographers who describe Southwest Texas as an almost rainless region, are guilty of either plain prevarication or inexcusable ignorance. For the past ten days the army camp has been a bog, as the result of heavy rainfall. One private described the situation by saying: "The camp is so completely under water that the pontoon bridges have sunk, the general is cut off from his command on a small island, and the air is so dense with moisture that a flying machine dare not get from under cover."

Today 2,000 men started to the maneuver ground at Leon Springs, wading through mud ankle deep. But while the soldiers are "cussing" the weather the farmers are delighted, and look forward to the greatest crops in the history of Texas. One of them put the situation this way: "Texas is having the greatest season in its history, and next fall money will be so plentiful that the picture shows will charge fifty cents admission."

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The news value of any advertisement depends entirely on its truthfulness and common sense. Based upon these two facts we hope to make this short talk of special interest to all persons who are afflicted with an old sore or chronic ulcer. If in presenting the merits of S.S.S. as a cure for these troubles, our line of reasoning appeals to you, it will be an easy matter to prove the truthfulness of our statements by sending you a free book containing many testimonials from persons in every part of the country who have been cured of an old sore or chronic ulcer by the use of S. S. S.

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The blood is the great source of nourishment for all flesh tissues. As it constantly circulates throughout the system it carries the necessary nutrient properties to every portion of the body. It is because of this continual replenishment that the flesh remains firm and healthy and free from disease. Since the blood exercises such an important and necessary function we can easily understand why impurities or poisons in this vital fluid so often infect and disease the flesh at some particular spot, and by continually discharging impurities into it cause the formation of old sores or chronic ulcers.

Every symptom of an old sore suggests diseased blood. The inflammation, discharge, discolored flesh, and the fact that external applications never have any curative effect on these places, show that deep down in the circulation there is a morbid cause that prevents the place from healing. But more convincing proof that bad blood is responsible for old sores is furnished by the fact that even removing every visible trace of the ulcer by surgical operation, does not cure. *THEY ALWAYS RETURN.*

Only by cleansing the blood of the poisonous cause can an old sore be cured. S. S. S. heals them by going down into the circulation and removing the cause from the blood. When this has been done there is no longer left any inflammatory impurity or infectious matter to irritate the place, and nature causes the natural and permanent healing of the ulcer. When S. S. S. has purified the blood and the place is once more nourished with pure, rich blood, then every symptom disappears, and it is not a surface cure, but the place is firmly and solidly healed from the bottom to the outer skin. S. S. S. is recognized as the greatest of all blood purifiers, and therein lies its ability to cure old sores. It is purely vegetable, containing no mineral in any form, and its fine tonic effects are always helpful in overcoming the impure systemic effects of an old sore. Forty years of cures is the record of S. S. S., and what it has done in thousands of cases we feel perfectly safe in saying it will do in your case if you are afflicted with an old sore.

We have a special treatise on Old Sores which we will be glad to send free to all who desire it. It contains the statements of many witnesses as to the efficacy of S. S. S., some of whom you may know. We will also be glad to send free any special medical advice you desire.

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CURED MAN AND WIFE.

It gives me pleasure to relate my experience with S.S.S. Both my wife and myself have cause to believe it the greatest of all blood purifiers. I at one time had an old sore on my nose which caused me a great deal of uneasiness, being afraid it was malignant. My wife also had an ugly old ulcer on her face which gave her considerable worry. We knew of no cause for these old sores so concluded they were due to bad blood. We both used S. S. S. and it cured us sound and well. This was some years ago but neither of us have ever had any signs of a return of the sore. I cheerfully recommend S. S. S. as a cure for Old Sores.

G. W. LOGAN, Taylor, Texas.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Cheap Excursion Rates to Little Rock, Ark., and Return Account of Annual Re-union United Confederate Veterans, May 15th-18th, 1911.

For the above occasion the Southern Railway announces the sale of very low round-trip tickets as follows:

From:	
Raleigh	$19.90
Durham	19.40
Burlington	18.75
Oxford	20.05
Selma	20.45
Goldsboro	20.85

Proportionately low rates from all other stations.

Tickets will be on sale May 13th, 14th and 15th with final return limit to reach original starting point not later than midnight of May 23rd.

Extension of final limit can be secured making ticket good to reach original starting point not later than June 14th, 1911, by depositing same with Special Agent and paying a fee of 50 cents.

Southern Railway will operate through Pullman Sleeping Car, Raleigh to Little Rock. Car to leave Raleigh at 4:05 P. M., Sunday, May 14th.

For information as to rates, schedules, Pullman reservation, etc., address the undersigned.

J. O. JONES,
Traveling Passenger Agent.
Raleigh, N. C.

M. H. SCHELL,
City Ticket Agent,
Raleigh, N. C.

THE WINSTON-SALEM SOUTH BOUND

Important New Railroad Connections FOR WILMINGTON.

On May 1st, the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway, ninety miles in length, in connectio with the Atlantic Coast Line inauguarted through train service between Winston-Salem, N. C., and Florence, S. C., where close connections are made to and from Wilmington, and thereby opening up an entirely new territory already having twenty towns and regular stations with this section.

The train leaving Wilmington at 5:45 A. M. daily, and reaching Florence at 9:30 A. M., connects with the new train leaving there at 10:00 A. M. daily and arriving at Darlington 10:25 A. M., Cheraw 11:43 A. M., Wadesboro 12:42 Noon, Lexington 4:09 P. M. and Winston-Salem 5:15 P. M.

The return schedule is to leave Winston-Salem at 12:10 Noon daily, and reach Wilmington 11:50 P. M.

W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Mgr.,
Wilmington, N. C.

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Extension: Original purchaser may secure an extension of final limit to June 30th, by depositing ticket with Special Agent, Jacksonville, not later than May 31st, and upon payment of fee of $1.00 at time of deposit.

For schedules or any other information, address nearest Agent, or

T. C. WHITE,
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover—Notice:

Mattie Lanier
vs.
E. J. Lanier.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of New Hanover county, to obtain a divorce from bed and board, and an allowance for alimony; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of said county to be held on Monday, the 29th day of May, 1911, at the Court House of said county, in Wilmington, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 29th day of April, 1911.

JOHN D. TAYLOR,
Clerk of the Superior Court.
W. N. HARRISS, Deputy.
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Ar. Wilson, A. C. L.		11:00 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, A.C.L.	5:50am	*3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A.C.L.	9:15am	6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R.	*7:15am	*10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N.S.R.R.	9:30am	12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	*8:20am	*11:30pm
Lv. Washington, N.S.R.R.	10:50am	2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N.S.R.R.	3:35pm	8:00am

SOUTH BOUND.

Lv. Norfolk, N.S.R.R.	9:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R.	6:20 a. m.
Ar. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	5:05 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 a. m.

* Daily. ! Daily Except Sunday.
For reservations, address W. J. Williams, T. A., Wilson; F. W. Tatem, G. A., Goldsboro; T. M. Bennett, T. A., New Bern.
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Annual Reunion United Confederate Veterans.

Little Rock, Ark., May 15th-18th, 1911.

For this occasion the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad has authorized special low rates, May 13th, 14th and 15th; limited until May 23rd. Ticket can be deposited at Little Rock, and upon payment of a fee of fifty cents, at time of deposit, limit of ticket can be extended to, and including June 14th, 1911.

For rates and information, apply to nearest Agent, or T. C. White, General Passenger Agent, Wilmington, N. C.

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Following will be the round trip fare from points indicated:

Beaufort, N. C.	$19.85
Belhaven, N. C.	19.70
Elizabeth City, N. C.	20.70
Edenton, N. C.	19.80
Greenville, N. C.	18.35
Kinston, N. C.	17.25
Newbern, N. C.	18.60
Norfolk, Va.	20.60
Washington, N. C.	18.85
Wilson, N. C.	16.65

Tickets limited to return until May 31st, 1911.

For complete information, apply to any Ticket Agent, or address,

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